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## The Donnelly Family

It is unlikely that there will ever be an accurate determination of the origins of that Peter Donnelly who appeared in New York Colony in the middle of the eighteenth century and settled, just before the Revolution, at Newburgh. His immediate descendants, even, were not in agreement on whether he came from Dublin or Belfast. Secondly, he was Church of England and thus not traceable in the lists of the Presbyterian Scotch-Irish migrations of the period. Finally, the destruction of vital records in the Dublin Courthouse fire removed the chief source of Irish genealogical material and has forced recourse to scattered parish registers which, where extant, are far from complete.

Dependence is placed for background, then, on the accounts of his grandchildren, which they in turn had from their parents, for the years prior to his marriage in 1763. His gravestone attests the fact that he was born in the summer of 1720, and it is probable that his birthplace was Dublin, since two grandchildren, independently, agree on this city. He was schooled there and family tradition varies from “a liberal education” to a Trinity College degree. It is improbable that he had either, but immediately after his marriage he opened a shop in his trade – leather-curing – and he may well have served his apprenticeship in his native city. (**A search if Trinity College records listed Peter Donnelly neither as a pupil nor a teacher there.**)

His grandson says “he traveled through a great deal of Europe, particularly France and Spain.” His granddaughter says that he “went to Spain in search of his brother, who he found had been shipwrecked and lost on the coast, and remained there three years. He entered the army, fought in some battle or battles, came to this country, entered the army and took part in the battle of Bloody Pond.” That he was in Spain seems reasonable, that he served in the army in Europe possible but not certain. Bloody Pond was fought in 1755, and he could easily have been there. The same granddaughter continues her narrative: “When he first went to Fort William Henry in the defence of which by the Colonials the battle of Bloody Pond was an incident, “he and two of his companions went a short distance from the fort to see a family whom they knew. They were unarmed and not knowing there were any Indians about were surprised to find the family had all been murdered, had been killed with a tomahawk and scalped. They started for the fort and met the savages face to face. They fired and shot Grandfather in the side. As they turned one of the savages threw his tomahawk and it struck Grandfather in the shoulder, making a severe wound. One of the other men was killed by the savages, when a party from the fort came to their relief. They captured two of the Indians and I think some were killed on both sides.”

“At the close of the War” – the Old French War – “Peter Donnelly settled in New York, bought property in Maiden Lane, and had his currier shop in the next street.” This would have been about 1760. It is possible but unlikely that Peter Donnelly was the Peter Donnelly to whom Documents of Secretary of State’s Office, vol. 90, pp. 130-1, show that a pardon was granted, on 22 May 1762, in association with Abraham van Ormen, John Lichens, Mary White, et al., “on the condition that the men enlist in the army or navy and that the woman quit and never return to the province of New York”. It is



improbable because in the following year identifiable records of Peter Donnelly appear and continue to his death, and these indicate that he did not, after May 1762 and before August 1763, serve in either the army or navy.

(1) Peter Donnelly married in Westchester County, New York, 19 August 1763, Elenor, daughter of Roger and Jane Harding Magrath, of New York, who was born 3 June 1747, and died at her home in Newburgh, New York, 17 May 1819, aged 71 years, 11 months, 14 days. Their granddaughter, calling her Eleanor McGraw, and observing she was fifteen years old and he forty-one, says that she was "the daughter of Roger who came from Belfast with Sir William Johnson, who was his warm friend as long as Grandfather lived. Grandfather McGraw settled also in New York. He married Jane Harden, a native of Londonderry, who came to this country when she was thirteen years old. Her parents were Scotch-Irish, and her grandfather was one of the defenders of the city of Derry and lived to a great age, receiving great honor from his countrymen". Elenor inherited from her father a table which her granddaughter, Mary E. Donnelly bequeathed to the Historical Society of Newburgh Bay and the Highlands and which, in 1935, served as a center table in the meeting room of the Society in the Newburgh Public Library building. "At the time of the Revolution, when the British fleet sailed up the Hudson, the table was hidden by the Donnellys in the woods on what is now the Van Duzer place". The same granddaughter says that "at the breaking out of the Revolutionary War Peter Donnelly took sides with the Colonies. He was so conspicuous as a rebel that New York soon became too hot for him, and he began to look about for a place to take his family to. He bought lands in Newburgh, then a village of fifteen houses, and moving his family just in time to save himself from being put in the Provost where many of his friends were imprisoned". He bought in 1774, lots designated as Nos 6 and 18, on the Glebe, which had been conveyed in 1768 by Cadwalader Colden to Joseph Albertson, cordwainer, and which passed in turn from Albertson to Donnelly. The family lived on King (now Liberty) Street, south of Broad Street, in the old Albertson house which later became 392 Liberty Street. Albertson had used the house as a "very good and well-ordered tavern". It was one of the first built at Newburgh, "all hewn timbers, one side smooth enough to nail on siding which was split oak about three feet long. The shingles were the same. In the attic the bark was still left on the beams; the chimney of flat stones laid in loam mortar. Walls were also loam. No lime, hair, nor bristles in it. It was the only frame house in the place that had no sawed stuff in it. It had beams overhead and a floor watertight. The kitchen was built later by Albertson. The piazza and shutters were made at the same time. The piazza was a smart affair for those days. It had a cornice and neat posts". The main building was taken down about 1798, but the kitchen was still standing sixty years later. The property was more recently owned by Judge William Fullerton. Peter Donnelly was one of the signers of the pledge, dated at Newburgh, 29 April 1775, to observe and maintain the orders and resolutions of both the Continental and Provincial Congresses. During the war soldiers, mainly militia, were quartered at his house almost continually. He was the first person to manufacture leather at Newburgh and during the war dressed leather for the army in his shop at the northwest corner of Smith and Third Streets. When the British burned Kingston he left Newburgh, with others, to defend the forts, and this may be the service which James L. Roberts New York in the Revolution show, page 264, for a Peter Donnelly in Captain Uriah Drake's Company, 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment, Ulster County



Militia. He and his wife were members of the Episcopalian church. He died 29 November 1782, aged 62 years, 3 months, and was buried as was his wife, in the middle section of the burying-ground at Newburgh. His gravestone inscription reads: "Memento Mori In memory of Peter Donnelly who died 29 November 1782, aet, 62 y. and 3 mo. Calm resignation crowned his latest hours; While death stood ready to arrest the power of flesh and blood, the mind serene and free, bound for the joys of immortality". Orange County Probate Records do not mention his property. At the Federal Census of 1790 his wife, Elenor, was head of family at Newburgh, with four males under sixteen. She died intestate, and the Orange County Surrogate records a petition for administration of her estate. They had issue:

- (2) Thomas, born at New York, 29 May 1764.
- (3) Peter, born 23 July 1766.
- (4) Andrew, born 15 February 1770.
- (5) John
- (6) Jane, born 26 September 1772.
- (7) James, born at Newburgh 11 November 1774.
- (8) Henry born 7 May 1783.
- (9) William

(2) Thomas Donnelly was born at New York, New York, 29 May 1764 (**6 a.m.**) and moved with his father, about 1774, to Newburgh. He enlisted about 1 April 1781, for one year, in Captain Robert Dunn's Corps of express riders, under Colonel Thomas Pickering, quartermaster-general of the Continental Army, and was attached to General Washington's headquarters. Of the service his son says "my father was born in 1764 and though but twelve years old when Independence was declared, before the close of that long conflict he was often entrusted with dispatches from Washington's Headquarters to various parts of the country. I have heard him say that he was twice fired upon at night and narrowly escaped death." He lived at Newburgh immediately after the war and was assessed in that town for road taxes in 1785. He moved, in 1786, to New York, and there married 26 September 1786, Ruth, daughter of John and Ruth Delano Pettinger, who was born at New York, 20 March 1768, and died at Jamesville, New York, 7 July 1838. Her son says of her that "she was only eight ears old when Independence was declared, yet she recollects many interesting events that transpired during the war". Thomas Donnelly moved from New York to Tarrytown in 1787 or 1788, and was head of family there in Greenburgh Town, at the Federal Census 1790, with three males under sixteen, and two females. He appears to have returned to New York for a period, since two children were born there in 1796 and 1797. In 1798 he moved to Albany. Of him his son-in-law Ulysses Freeman Doubleday, wrote in 1865 that "he was an active intelligent man, a justice of the peace in Albany for many years, and several years sergeant-at-arms to the New York Assembly". His son wrote that "my father kept a store for some time on the dock in Albany. He also owned a sloop. Peter acted as captain of it. My father was justice of the peace for nine years and sergeant-at-arms in the Assembly for many years". He moved in 1816 to Onondaga County, probably to Jamesville, where he ran a grist mill, though he was, for a time, at Canastota, where he had a farm north of the village. In 1833 he moved from Canastota to Auburn. Ulysses Freeman Doubleday continues: "His wife, Ruth



Pettinger, acquired in their latter years several thousand dollars (about eighty thousand dollars) from her brother who died with considerable wealth in the East Indies. The amount was left mostly to the youngest son James Donnelly who is partially blind and who is now (1865) residing in Seneca County, New York". His application for a Revolutionary War pension was executed 17 January 1833, when he was a resident of Cayuga County, New York. He died at Jamesville, New York, 4 February 1835, aged 71 years, 8 months, 8 days, having issue:

**(He was buried at Jamesville Cemetery and the inscription on his tombstone reads "In memory of Thomas Donnelly who died Feb 4<sup>th</sup> 1835 in the 71 year of his age." A marker of the National Society of the Sons of the Revolution shows "Thomas Donnelly, New York Militia."**

The grave next to him has the inscription "In memory of Ruth, wife of Thomas Donnelly who died July 7, 1838 in the 71<sup>st</sup> year of her age."

His sister in a will dated 28 November 1849 left him \$400. His will dated at Manilus 26 January 1835 witnessed by William Eagan, Jacob I. Low and Nathan Purdy of Manilus "He is survived by his wife, Esther Doubleday, wife of Ulysses Doubleday of Auburn, Thomas Donnelly and James Donnelly of Manilus, Elizabeth Burckhart, wife of Edgar Burckhart, Thomas D. Knower, Cornelia Knower, Cornelia Stephens, James Stephens of Onandaga County, Louise Knower, Samuel Knower, Andrew Knower of Buffalo, Sarah Knower of Auburn, Peter Stephens and George Stephens of Albany, all next of kin and heirs at law Ulysses Doubleday and William Eagan were executors, but the former did not serve. The will mentions Jamesville property sold to Jacob Low and property owned near Lamark Mills in the town of Manilus.)

- (10) Peter, born at New York, 16 August 1787
- (11) Hester, born at Tarrytown, 30 August 1788
- (12) Thomas, born at Tarrytown, 1 December 1789
- (13) Maria, born at Tarrytown, 20 February 1792
- (14) Jane, born at Tarrytown, 16 May 1793
- (15) Cornelia, born at Tarrytown, 8 July 1794
- (16) James, born at New York, 11 November 1796
- (17) John Stafford, born at New York, 23 December 1797
- (18) Nancy Stillwell, born at Albany, 6 November 1799
- (19) James Magragh, born at Albany, 9 September 1802

(3) Andrew Donnelly (was born 15 January 1770 6 a.m.) married Jane, who was born 26 September 1772, and died 21 November 1851. He served on his brother's sloop "Sally" on the Hudson River in 1790, and was living in Orange County, New York, in 1819. She was buried in the middle section of the old burying-ground at Newburgh, New York. They had issue:

- (20) Eleanor, born 7 August 1816.



(4) Peter Donnelly (was born 23 July 1766 2 a.m.) married, 25 June 1786, Nancy Stillwell of Newburgh, New York, at the Presbyterian Church in New Windsor. In 1790 he was captain of the sloop "Sally", on the Hudson River, in which he did a passenger and freight business between New York and Albany, employing as hands his brothers Andrew and John. Mr. John Maude, an Englishman, visited America in 1790, and in 1826 published an account of his travels. He wrote: "At New York, Saturday, June 21, 1790, 5:30 p.m. Embarked on Sloop "Sally" (Capt. Peter Donnelly) 70 tons with four hands, viz, Captain Donnelly, his brothers, Andrew and John, who was on board Aden de Winter's ship on memorable October 11, 1797; Nicholas free black, steward, cook, and cabin boy. 24 passengers. Passage \$2. Board and liquors as may happen. Passage has been made in 16 hours, 6 minutes, one hour deducted for landing passengers. Captain Donnelly made \$1675 passage money in one year". In 1790 he was head of family at Greenburgh Town (Tarrytown) with one male under sixteen and one female, at the Federal Census. He died of typhus fever, at Albany, 8 August 1832, being then 65 years of age. He had issue:

(21) Thomas L. (S.)

(5) John Donnelly serve on his brother's sloop "Sally", on the Hudson River, in June 1790. (He served in the Dutch navy and was Admiral de Winter's ship when the Admiral lost to the British, 11 October 1797.)

(6) Jane Donnelly was born 26 September 1772, was living in Orange County, New York, in 1819, she died 21 November 1851. (Her will, dated 28 November 1849 mentions many of her family.)

(7) James Donnelly was born at Newburgh, New York 4 November 1774 (6 a.m.) and lived there. He married Roletta Byram, who was born in 1783 and died in 1850. In 1859, being then 84 years of age or more, he was the source of several anecdotes used by Ruttenber in his History as an "oldest citizen" of Newburgh. He had a tan-yard, sunk about 1810 in what was known as the Dismal Swamp, which later became the property of Jennings and McKinstry. In 1810 he was an organizer and member of the Newburgh Hook and Ladder Company. He died in 1864 and is buried, as is his wife, in the old section of St. George's Cemetery, Newburgh. He had issue:

(His will date 26 November 1855 mentions his two youngest children and his wife. The son is forgiven his debts to his father and the residual estate, after providing for the widow during her life, goes to the daughter. In the will of his sister, Jane, he is described (1849) as being of Shawangunk, Ulster County, New York. He receive \$600.)

(22) Esther, born 9 March 1811.

(23) Ruletta Gregory, born 15 September 1815.

(24) Mary E., born in 1820.

(25) Byram, born in 1823.



(8) Henry Donnelly (was born 7 May 1783) was living in Orange County, New York in 1819. (In the will of his sister, Jane, 28 November 1849, his daughter is mentioned.)

(25.1) Jane Ann.

(9) William Donnelly was a sea-captain and married Margaret, sister of Colonel John Mills, of Little Britton, New York. He sailed his own vessel twice to England, but traded customarily between Charleston, South Carolina, and New Orleans, where he was in 1819. He had issue:

(26) Jane Eliza, (born 17 September 1803)  
(27) Eleanor.  
(28) James.  
(29) John.  
(30) William.

(10) Peter Donnelly was born at New York, New York, 16 August 1787. He married at Albany, New York, Ann Fisher. He entered the army "at an early age", served with distinction in the War of 1812 at Fort George and Little York, and was with the 18<sup>th</sup> Regiment at Forty-Mile Creek. He was commissioned 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant, 16<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 27 May 1812, and resigned his commission, 3 June 1813. He died 3 February 1828, and was buried with military honors, in the Episcopal Burial Ground at Albany. His gravestone inscription reads: "Captain Peter Donnelly, Jr., who died February 3, 1828, aged 40 years, 5 months, 16 days. Momento Mori."

(11) Hester Donnelly was born at Tarrytown, New York, 30 August 1788. She married, 10 October 1814, Ulysses Freeman Doubleday, who was born at New Lebanon, Columbia County, New York, 16 December, 1792. (She and her husband are shown to have lived in 1849 at New York, New York, in the will dated 28 November 1849, of her Aunt Jane.) He was son of Abner Doubleday, of New Lebanon, who served under Anthony Wayne at the storming of West Point. He wrote: "When I was about 8 years old I was precipitated into a well and fractured my thigh in three places. I was compelled to lie still on my back for over four weeks. This was a painful confinement and when I moved around on crutches, I often fell straining the fractured bone and causing great agony. This tended to check the vivacity of boyhood and had considerable influence on my future life and character. I had great fondness for numerical calculation. My father had access to a good circulation library. As I was rather infirm in health I spent much time reading Watts on the mind, Watts' Logic, Shakespeare, etc. the Life of Washington gave me a high opinion of the occupation of the printer, and in my sixteenth year I entered as an apprentice into the printing establishment of H. and E. Phinney at Cooperstown, occupying the days in business and much of the nights in study. I purchased books, employed teachers and became well instructed in the Latin and French languages. Hard study deprived me of social privileges which rendered me shy and bashful till I had spent many years in public life. My father died when I was in my twenty-first year, and my mother about 4 years later. I went first to Utica whence I volunteered in a small force that went out to defend Sackett's Harbor. We were stationed



at French Mills in the spring of 1813 where we remained a few weeks till the breaking up of the ice in Lake Ontario rendering our presence unnecessary and I returned to visit my mother and family. I then went to Troy and Albany. At the latter city I entered into partnership with a man by the name of Pratt and arranged to republish several old works. Here I became acquainted with...Hester Donnelly, to whom I was married Oct. 10 1814. I took a room in her father's house where we resided several months, when I was invited by some friends of Samuel Young, a prominent politician of Saratoga Co., New York, to establish a paper at Ballston Spa, and commenced publishing the Saratoga Courier, afterwards the Saratoga Republican. Here were born my first three children...I moved to Auburn in 1819 with my family...In Auburn we lost three infant children and your dear sister" (he was writing his son) "died at the age of 14,, praying for his brother and friends". His brother-in-law James Magrath Donnelly, wrote his son, Abner Doubleday, 16 October 1877: "I fear I cannot give you much information with regard to the early life of your father. I heard him say he was born in 1792. In 1812 he was about 20 years old when war was declared against Great Britain. I think in that year he was working in Albany for a man named Hosford as a journeyman printer. Hosford kept a large bookstore and a printing establishment in addition. I think I heard your father say he was six months at Sackett's Harbor, New York, but whether he went there as a drafted man or as a volunteer I do not know. He said there was a large force of British at Kingston and said he thought at times he would like to have them cross over and test his courage. He thought he would have stood his ground. He came home, however, without having seen any active service, as the enemy did not advance until 1813. Then they attacked the place and were repulsed...I cannot tell you under what circumstances your father and mother first met, but it was in the city of Albany in 1813. They were married in the autumn of 1814. We then lived in Pattman Street. Your grandmother offered them the upper part of our house for their residence, and they accepted the offer. Your father was then in partnership with Pratt. They published several books among which was an edition of the English Reader. I cannot give you the particulars of his residence in Ballston Spa but he moved there sometime in the early part of 1815. He must have lived there nearly five years. He and his family occupied the whole house. The printing office occupied the upper part of the building. There was a stairs both to the front and rear. One led from the street into the yard and the other into the office. I enjoyed myself very much while there". His sister Amanda lived with them. About that time your father published a book called "'The Moral Instructor'. It was written by Dr. James Torry. He also published a book written by Captain Elisha Freeman who I think was a relative of your father's...your father belonged to what was called the Bucktail Party. There was also a Clinton paper published in the village called the Watchtower. The editor's name was Comstock. He sold out the Courier to Davidson of Saratoga Springs. Your parents were then in good spirits. They wished to go to Auburn because it was a new and thriving village and it was thought it would become a large place." They moved to Auburn, and there he published the Cayuga Patriot from 1819 to 1839. The Patriot was Auburn's first newspaper and he owned the first printing press there. **(He was of Auburn at the time of his father-in-law's will, 28 January 1835).** He was a Jackson Democrat in the House of Representatives of the 22<sup>nd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> Congresses. From 1837 to 1846 he was a farmer at Scipio, New York. In 1848 he established a bookselling and stationary business in New



York, where he remained until 1860. She died in 1859, and he, at Belvedere, Illinois, 10 March 1866, having had issue:

**(The Cayuga Patriot, anti-federalist, was established in 1814 by J. A. Hathaway. Ulysses Doubleday bought it in 1819 and sold it eight years later, upon becoming representative to his partner Isaac Doubleday and Allen founded the Gospel Advocate in Auburn on 1 January 1828 Reverend L.S. Everett, Universalist as editor. In 1845 Doubleday repurchased the Patriot and transferred it to Henry M. Stone and another partner.**

**Stokes- History of Cayuga County - note that the Patriot was the first paper in the county. He says Ulysses F. Doubleday, long connected with the "Patriot" as editor and proprietor was distinguished for the strength, originality and accuracy of his mind, for purity of purpose and integrity of character. His readers therefore were greatly influenced by his writings, regarding him as right in the printing he assumed, because of the acknowledged soundness of his judgment and in the expression of his opinions, because of the acknowledged purity of his character. He was one of the prominent journalists of the County. –Maud Donnelly Mickelsen – I recognize my statement. Please quote this as oral tradition only as given by Robert Conner and incorporated as such in my paper. Maud D. Mickelsen**

- (31) Thomas Donnelly, born at Ballston Spa, 18 February 1816.
- (32) Ruth Maria Donnelly, born at Ballston Spa, 28 June 1817.
- (33) Abner, born at Ballston Spa, 26 June 1819.
- (34) Amanda, born at Auburn, 19 January 1823.
- (35) Ulysses Freeman, born at Auburn, 31 August 1824.
- (36) xxx (x)
- (37) xxx (x)
- (38) xxx (x)
- (39) Jane Ann

(12) Thomas Donnelly was born at Tarrytown, New York, 1 December 1789. He married at New Marlborough, Ulster County, New York, 31 March 1810, Ruth Wright who was born in Orange County, New York, 3 May 1792, and died 20 October 1863. **(In the will of his aunt, Jane, dated 28 November 1849 he is described as of Lennox, New York. He received \$250.)** Of her it has been said: "Ruth was an excellent cook, had splendid health, and was a very kind and devoted mother, religious and with high moral standards, but set the family back intellectually." **(Per James Magrath Donnelly, Per Robert Conner).** He lived first at Newburgh after his marriage, was at Albany in 1813, and moved from there about 1817 to Jamesville, New York, where he ran a grist mill at the center of the town. He was living in Onondaga County in 1819, but moved in 1836 to Canastota, to a farm north of the village, where he was living in 1846. **(At the time his father's will was drawn 26 January 1835, he was of the town of Manlius).** He died there, 23 June 1854, and was there buried in the Walker Cemetery, having had issue:

- (40) Ruth, born at Newburgh, 17 October 1812.



- (41) John Pettinger, born at Albany, 28 August 1813.
- (42) Cornelia, born at Albany, 20 August 1815.
- (43) Ruth, born at Jamesville, 1 August 1821.
- (44) Hester Doubleday, born at Jamesville, 27 June 1824.
- (45) Thomas, born at Jamesville, 20 April 1828.
- (46) Peter, born at Jamesville, 27 October 1830.
- (47) Mary Mariah, born at Jamesville, 16 May 1834.

(13) Maria Donnelly was born at Tarrytown, New York, 20 February 1792. She married, at Albany, 20 March 1810, Samuel Knower, who was born in August 1793, and died 28 September 1839, in Buffalo, New York. He was a cabinet-maker, and lived in 1813, at 88 Market Street, Albany. She lived at Sing Sing (later Ossining) (Westchester County, New York, and died there, 7 August 1829, aged 36 years. She had issue:

- (48) Hester Donnelly, born at Albany, 20 December 1810.
- (49) Thomas Donnelly, born at Albany, 29 July 1813.
- (50) Elizabeth Weld, born at Albany, 14 January 1814. (49)
- (51) Andrew Donnelly, born 25 April 1815.
- (52) Louise, born at Albany, 7 January 1818.
- (53) Sarah, born at Albany, 11 July 1819.
- (54) James D., born at Jamesville, 30 October .
- (55) Ruth Cornelia, born in 1823.
- (56) Anna Maria.
- (57) Samuel
- (58) Mary Randall.

(14) Jane Donnelly was born at Tarrytown, New York 14 May 1793, and died 16 July 1793. She was buried in the church-yard at Tarrytown.

(15) Cornelia Donnelly was born at Tarrytown, New York, 8 July 1794. She died 20 February 1797, and was buried in the Baptist Meeting House Yard, at New York, New York.

(16) James Donnelly was born at New York, 11 November 1796, and died before 1802.

(17) John Stafford Donnelly was born at New York, New York, 23 December 1797. He died 18 September 1798, and was buried in St. Paul's Church Yard, New York, New York.

(18) Nancy Stillwell Donnelly was born at Albany, New York, 6 November 1799. She married at Albany, New York, 6 December 1817, George Martin Stevens, who was born near Boston, Massachusetts, and died 2 September 1843, aged 52 years. He was a cabinet-maker at Albany, and owned property there. She died at Albany, 12 January 1829, aged 29 years, 2 months, and 6 days. She had issue:



**(He died at Albany. In her father's will drawn 26 January 1835, the name is spelled Stephens.)**

(59) Peter Donnelly, born in 1819.

(60) George Martin.

(61) Cornelia, born in Albany.

(62) James.

(19) James Magragh Donnelly was born at Albany, New York, 9 September 1802. He lived, in 1819, in the county and city of New York, New York, but joined, as a young man, his father at Auburn, and was there an editor of the Cayuga Patriot, published by his uncle, Ulysses Doubleday. He married Emily, daughter of Alexander M. and Dorothy Rightor Graham, of Otsego County, New York, who was born in 1814 and died in Michigan in 1901. He lived also at Jamesville, New York, succeeding his brother in the management of the grist mill there in 1836. He invested his inheritance from his mother's estate in lumber lands in the vicinity of Seneca Lake, settling at Bennettsburg, Hector Township, Schuyler County. He was living at Burdett, New York, in 1846. After the Civil War, being then blind, he moved to Allen, Hillsdale County, Michigan, where he died in 1880, and was buried, as was his wife. He had Issue:

**(In the will of his Aunt Jane, dated 28 November 1849 he is described as being "of Lenox, New York" He is recorded as living in Hector in 1851, where he was cited in connection with the will. At the time of his father's will, 26 January 1835, he was of Manilus.)**

(63) xxx (x)

(64) Alexander Graham, born at Jamesville, 4 July 1837.

(65) Henry Delos, born at Hector, 12 August 1840.

(66) Andrew J., born 12 March 1845.

(67) Richard A., born in 1849. **(July 30, 1848)**

(20) Eleanor Donnelly was born 7 August 1816, and died 19 November 1835, aged 19 years, 3 months, 12 days. She was buried in the family plot in the middle section of the old burying ground at Newburgh, New York.

(21) Thomas L. (S.) Donnelly was living, in 1819, in Albany County, New York.

(22) Esther Donnelly was born 9 March 1811, and died 20 May 1829, aged 18 years, 2 months, 11 days. She was buried in the family plot in the middle section of the old burying-ground at Newburgh, New York.

(23) Ruleta Gregory Donnelly was born 15 September 1815, and died 10 October 1820, aged 5 years, 25 days. She was buried in the family plot in the middle section of the old burying-ground at Newburgh, New York.



(24) Mary Elizabeth Donnelly was born in 1820. She lived in Newburgh, New York, and gave her grandmother's table to the Historical Society of Newburgh Bay and the Highlands. She died in 1914 and was buried in St. George's Cemetery, Newburgh. (She was residuary heiress of her father, and by the will of her aunt, Jane, 28 November 1849, she received \$100. At her death in 1914 letters of administration on a net estate of about \$900 was granted to C. Gilbert Calyer, a creditor. Richard and Jane Donnelly were shown as next of kin.

(25) Byram Donnelly was born in 1823 and died in 1872. He is buried in St. George's Cemetery, Newburgh, New York. (He was mentioned in his father's will, dated 16 November 1835, being then forgiven the debts he owed his father. In the will of his aunt, Jane, 28 November 1849, he is forgiven the debts he owed her. He had issue:)

(67.1) James was of Wallkill when appointed guardian of his son in 1854. He received \$500 in the will of his aunt, Jane, dated 28 November 1849.

(25.1) Jane Anne Donnelly married Almerin A. Sherman and lived at Sullivan, Madison County, New York. She received \$500 in the will of her aunt, Jane, dated 28 November 1849.

(26) Jane Eliza Donnelly lived, in 1819, in South Carolina. (Donator's Note: the following sentence is crossed off—She married xxx Baker, and was buried in the Baker plot in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery ) Newark, New Jersey. She had issue:

(She was born 17 September 1803 and died 18 December 1880. She received \$400 in the will of her aunt, Jane, dated 28 November, 1849. She was buried in lot 64, Section S, Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey 8 Mary, 1884. She married Charles Osborne Baker who was born 26 December 1795 and died 17 February 1831. He was buried first at Darien Georgia, but was subsequently moved and buried with his wife. In 1849 she was living in Newark.

(68) Daniel William, was born in Darien, Georgia.

(69) Cyrus Osborn, born 18 July 1831.

(27) Eleanor Donnelly was living, in 1819, in South Carolina. (She married xxx Clark and died before 1849. She had issue, each of whom received \$100 from the will of her aunt, Jane dated 28 November 1849.)

(28) James Donnelly was living, in 1819, in South Carolina. He had issue:

(He was dead at the time his aunt Jane's will was drawn, 28 November 1849).

(69.1) Abner

(29) John Donnelly was living, in 1819, in South Carolina. (At 28 November 1849 he is mentioned in the will of his aunt, Jane, as living in Darien Georgia.)



(30) William Donnelly (at 28 November 1849 he is mentioned in the will of his aunt, Jane, as living in Darien, Georgia.)

(31) Thomas Donnelly Doubleday was born at Ballston Spa, New York, 18 February 1816. He married, being then of Mobile, Alabama, Mary A. Ward, of New York, New York, at New York, 16 December 1841. He was Colonel, 4<sup>th</sup> New York Artillery (Volunteers) in the Civil War. He had issue:

- (70) Mary Augusta.
- (71) Stephen Ward.

(32) Ruth Maria Donnelly Doubleday was born at Ballston Spa, New York, 28 June 1817. She married 22 January 1835, Dudley Price Griswold Everts, of Auburn, New York. She had issue:

- (72) Miriam A.
- (73) Hester
- (74) Ulysses D.
- (75) Mary T.
- (76) Ruth M.

(33) Abner Doubleday was born at Ballston Spa, New York, 26 June 1819. He was appointed to the United States Military Academy, 1 September 1838, was graduated in 1842, and was brevetted 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant, 3<sup>rd</sup> Artillery, 1 July 1842. He was commissioned 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant, 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant, 1<sup>st</sup> Artillery, 24 February 1845. He served in the Mexican War in Taylor's Army and was engaged in the battle of Monterey. He was commissioned 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant, 1<sup>st</sup> Artillery, 3 March 1847. In 1852-3 he was a member of a commission investigating claims for alleged destruction of mines during the Mexican War. He was commissioned Captain, 3 March 1855, served in the Seminole War from 1856 to 1858, and from 1858 to the outbreak of the Civil War was on garrison duty at posts on the Atlantic coast. He was in command at Fort Sumter, in Charleston harbor, at the outbreak of the Civil War. He was commissioned Major in the 17<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 14 May 1861, and served as such in the lower Shenandoah Valley and the defenses of Washington until he was commissioned Brigadier-General of Volunteers, 3 February 1862. He was assigned to the command of a brigade in McDonnell's corps and took it into action for the first time in a skirmish on the Rappahannock late in August, followed shortly after by the second battle of Bull Run. At the battle of South Moulton, in September he succeeded to the command of the division, when its chief was wounded, and in that capacity took part in the battles of Antietam and Fredericksburg. He was brevetted Lieutenant-Colonel, 17 September 1862, for gallant and meritorious service in the battle of Antietam. He was commissioned a Major-General of Volunteers, 27 November 1862, and placed in command of the First Army Corps. His division was in reserve at Chancellorsville. At Gettysburg his superior, General Reynolds, was killed in the first day's fighting, which, on the Union side, was an effort to check the Confederates with such troops as were available until the full strength could be brought up. Doubleday succeeded to the



command of the corps and felt that his actions were such as to merit his permanent appointment to that capacity. Wadsworth, at a critical moment in the first morning's fighting, ordered three of his regiments to withdraw toward the Lutheran Seminary, to prevent their being surrounded and captured. Howard, being fresh in the field, misapprehended the retreat of two of the regiments, the 56<sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania and the 76<sup>th</sup> New York, and came to the conclusion that the First Corps was giving way without justification thus early in the day. He so reported to Hancock, and this report was conveyed at once to Meade, who forthwith deprived Doubleday of Command that evening and replaced him with General Newton, a West Point classmate, reduced him to the rank of division commander, and by a special order of 5 July relieved him from duty with the Army of the Potomac and ordered him to report to the Adjutant-General at Washington. When the real facts became known and Howard's inaccuracy was disclosed, Meade sought to make amends for the injury he had done Doubleday. Interviewing him sometime after at Washington, Meade not only expressed his sense of the humiliation to which he had unintentionally subjected Doubleday but urged him then to accept another important command in the Army of the Potomac. Doubleday's resentment towards Meade was not appeased by these subsequent apologies. He made application to return to the front but the War Department refused his application on the ground that his services could not be spared from Washington where he was engaged on defensive work and served on military commissions until the close of the war. He was detailed to organize and command the loyal leagues of Washington City, and, during Early's raid close to the capitol, commanded the defenses south of Anacosta Creek. He was commissioned Lieutenant-Colonel, 17<sup>th</sup> Infantry, Regular Army, 20 September 1863, was mustered out of volunteer service, 24 August 1865, and brevetted Brigadier-General and Major-General, United States Army, for gallant and meritorious service during the war. He was commissioned Colonel, 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 15 September 1867, and was stationed at San Francisco, 1869-1871, being unassigned, 15 March 1869, and assigned 24<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 15 December 1870. He retired from the Army, 11 December 1873, and lived, thereafter, at Mendham, New Jersey. He married, at Washington, Mary, daughter of Robert Hewitt, of Baltimore, Maryland. His early schooling was at Auburn and Cooperstown, in 1839 he originated the game of baseball, as a development from an earlier ball game. "He was tall, dignified in appearance and manner. Quiet and cool in times of stress, methodical and deliberate in his ways, he was nicknamed "'Forty-eight Hours'. His staff of officers have testified to his retentive memory and his faculty for clear statement in giving orders. They noted, too, that he never used a profane word and that he indulged in neither liquor nor tobacco. He was a man of wide interests and varied attainments. From youth he took pleasure in French and Spanish literature, and in his old age, Catolike, he studied Sanskrit. He published, in 1876 "'Reminiscences of Forts Sumter and Moultrie in 1860-1861, and in 1872, "'Chancellorsville and Gettysburg'". He died at Mendham, 26 January 1893, and was buried in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia.

(34) Amanda Doubleday was born 19 January 1823. She married, as his second wife, the Reverend Herman James Eddy, son of Seth and Millicent Higgins Eddy, of Marion and Williamson, New York. He was born at Eddy Ridge, New York, 10 December 1810, and married first, about 1833, Abigail Bull, who was born about 1811 and died 1 August 1840, at Scipio, New York. He was a widely known and prominent Baptist clergyman,



was chaplain of the 33<sup>rd</sup> Illinois Volunteers and was present when Vicksburg was taken by Grant. He was editor of the Illinois Baptist, published at Bloomington, Illinois, and of the Central Baptist, published at Syracuse, New York. He lived subsequently at New York, New York, and died there, 15 May 1890. She died 26 January 1892, having had issue:

**(His grave in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York shows Herman James Eddy, D. D. and the cemetery record shows his late residence as St. George Hotel. She was buried in lot #278 LLP Sect. 60 Observatory Plot and her late residence is given by the cemetery record as 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 30<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, New York.)**

- (77) Ulysses Doubleday, born at Auburn, 23 July 1843.
- (78) William Abner, born at New York, 28 January 1850.
- (79) Thomas August, born at Brooklyn, 9 November 1854.
- (80) Mary Millicent, born at Bloomington, about 1858.
- (81) Lillian, born at Bloomington, 17 September 1861.

(36) Ulysses Freeman Doubleday, Jr., was born at Auburn, New York, 31 August 1824. He attended Auburn Academy and was commissioned Major, 4<sup>th</sup> New York Artillery, 23 January 1862; honorably discharged 7 March 1863; commissioned Lieutenant-Colonel, 3<sup>rd</sup> United States Infantry, 8 October 1864. He was brevetted Brigadier-General of Volunteers, 13 March 1865, for meritorious service, and married Mary Stewart of New York, New York, and died at Tryon, North Carolina, 11 February 1893, having had issue:

**(She was born 28 April 1827 and died 9 June 1879. she was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, New York. He died 11 February 1893 and was buried in Lot #SW ½ 2697-98, section 34, Beech Plot and his later residence is given by the cemetery record as Asheville, North Carolina. Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, New York.)**

- (82) James Stewart.
- (82.1) Alice, born 1 October 1852
- (82.2) Amy, born 27 December 1857
- (82.3) Mattie, born 26 November 1862
- (83) Harold.
- (84) Mary Stewart, born at New York, 27 June 1861.

(36) xxx (x) Doubleday died in infancy at Auburn, New York.

(37) xxx (x) Doubleday died infancy, at Auburn, New York.

(38) xxx (x) Doubleday died in infancy at Auburn, New York.

(39) Jane Anne Doubleday died, aged 14 years, at Auburn New York.



(40) Ruth Donnelly was born at Newburgh, New York, 17 October 1812, and died, 21 December 1812.

(41) John Pettinger Donnelly was born at Albany, New York, 28 August 1813. He died, as a young man, "of brain fever", at Canastota, and was buried about 1837 or 1838. He was captain of the local home guards.

(42) Cornelia Donnelly was born at Albany, New York, 20 August 1815. She married in Lenox, Madison County, New York, 8 January 1843, Hamlin Reed, of Canastota, who was a farmer and carpenter living at Union Corners. They lived at Canastota, and she died there, 19 May 1881, and was there buried. They had issue:

(85) Eugene.

(86) Arthur Eugene.

(43) Ruth Donnelly was born at Jamesville, New York, 1 August 1821. She married, as his second wife, John Crow, of Canastota, 25 November 1847, at Canastota, township of Lenox, Madison County, New York. She died at Durhamville, 29 November 1896, having had issue:

(87) Mary.

(44) Hester Doubleday Donnelly was born at Jamesville, New York, 27 June 1824. "Aunt Hetty was a great reader and scholar. She lived at first, with her sister, Ruth Crow, then later with her brother Peter, north of Canastota". She was unmarried and died in Canastota, 3 March 1913, and was there buried.

(45) Thomas Donnelly was born at Jamesville, New York, 20 April 1828. He married, at the town of Canastota, Lenox township, New York, 25 December 1856, Susan Ann Gleason. He went from Canastota to Phelps in the spring of 1867, and bought the Swan farm about 1 1/4 miles south of the town. He remained there, a farmer, the rest of his life. She died 22 February 1889, of cancer, and he, at Phelps, 8 May 1890, suddenly, in his sleep, having had issue:

(88) Helen Hester, born 15 November 1860, at Lenox township.

(89) Cornelia Ann, born 7 April 1863.

(90) Laura Augusta, born 28 January 1867.

(91) John Wesley, born at Phelps, 1 April 1969.

(92) Charles Oscar, born at Phelps, 12 March 1871.

(46) Peter Donnelly was born at Jamesville, New York, 27 October 1830, and lived at Canastota, New York, from childhood, settling near his father's farm. He married, Sarah Manchester, who died 7 August 1912. He died 4 February 1918. They had issue:

**(An account of Peter's death from "Union Corners" column—"Peter Donnelly, one of our oldest neighbors died very suddenly Monday morning. His health had been**



failing for a long time, but Monday morning he got up early, ate his breakfast, then went out-doors a while, came back into the house, sat down by the fire and quietly passed away. He will be missed as he was a good neighbor, living by the golden rule, as nearly as possible. Since the death of his wife a few years ago, he and his own Manuel have lived alone, happy and contented in each their company, his other children and grandchildren coming often to see him. They all have our sympathy. The funeral was held at the house Thursday at One o'clock, Mr. Beebee of South Bay officiating." He was a follower of Emmanuel Swendenborg.

- (93) Arthur Eugene born Nov 28 1861
- (94) Isabelle born Nov 25 1864
- (95) Eugene Sept 8 1866 (twins)
- (96) Emmagene
- (97) Emmanuel S. born in Dec 18, 1872.

(47) Mary Mariah Donnelly was born at Jamesville, New York, 16 May 1834. She married, 23 December 1856, at Lenox township (Canastota), New York, John Conner, who was killed by a horse, 20 October 1864. They moved to Pettisville, Michigan, about 18 miles north of Ann Arbor. She returned to Onondaga County, New York, after her husband's death, and married, secondly, Daniel McNeil, of Kirkville, New York, who ran a brickyard. She died in childbirth, 20 May 1873, having contracted erysipilis. She had issue:

by (1) (98) Robert John, born 21 August 1864.

(48) Hester Donnelly Knower was born at Albany, New York, 20 December 1810. Thomas Donnelly wrote: "On the 13<sup>th</sup> of September 1815, my ever-to-be-lamented granddaughter, Hester Knower, departed this life. She was rode over by a man on horseback by the name of Anson Spooner. She survived the injury only five hours. Colony Burying Ground."

**\*(50) should be here.**

(49) Thomas Donnelly Knower was born at Albany, New York, 29 July 1813, and married, 20 September 1836, Laura Hyatt Buckhout, at Sing-Sing, New York. (**When his grandfather's will was drawn 26 January 1835, he was of Onondaga County.**) She was born at Sing-Sing, 28 July 1814. The had issue:

- (99) William B., born at Buffalo, New York, 10 October 1836.
- (100) Edward C., born at Buffalo, 7 September 1839.
- (101) William B., born at Buffalo, 12 February 1841.
- (102) Anna N., born at Albany, 2 June 1842.
- (103) Mary, born at Albany, 3 January 1845.
- (104) Mary, born at Albany, 8 February 1846.
- (104.5) Laura, born at West Troy, New York, 9 March 1847.**



(50) Elizabeth Weld Knower was born at Albany, New York, 14 January 1812, and married Ed Buckhout. **(When her grandfather's will was drawn 26 January 1835 she and her husband were of Onondaga County, New York)** She had issue:

- (105) Cornelia Eliza
- (106) John

(51) Andrew Donnelly Knower was born 25 April 1815.

(52) Louise Knower was born 7 January 1818, at Albany, New York. **(When her grandfather's will was drawn, 26 January 1835, she and her husband were of Buffalo, New York)**. She married Nathan Lawrence, who, with his brother Amos, founded Lawrence, Kansas. She died at Auburn, New York, 31 October 1898, having had issue:

- (107) Frank

(53) Sarah Knower was born 11 July 1819. **(When her grandfather's will was drawn 26 January 1835, she, a minor, was at Auburn, New York.)** She married, 29 July 1835, Abraham Cornelius Groot, who was born 22 April 1813, and died 7 May 1890. They lived at Auburn, New York. **(The were members of the First Baptist Church and were buried at Fort Hill Cemetery, Auburn. He and his three brothers were early merchants in Auburn.)** She died 2 August 1893, having had issue:

- (108) Cornelius Abraham, born 3 April 1837.
- (109) Samuel Knower, born 28 February 1839.
- (110) Maria Louise, born 5 December 1840.
- (111) Cornelia Augusta, born 4 August 1843.
- (112) Sarah Knower, born 29 October 1845.

(54) James D. Knower was born at Jamesville, New York, 30 October .

(55) Ruth Cornelia Knower was born in 1823. She married, in 1843, her cousin, Peter Donnelly Stevens (59). **(When her grandfather's will was drawn, 26 January 1835, she was of Onondaga County, New York, a minor.)**

(56) Anna Maria Knower married Nelson Curtice, **(When her grandfather's will was drawn, 26 January 1835, she was of Buffalo, New York, a minor. They lived on a large farm at Webster, New York)**. and had issue:

- (113) Mary
- (114) Cornelia
- (115) Caroline
- (116) Howard
- (117) Everett



(57) Samuel Knower died 23 March 1895. (When his grandfather's will was drawn, 26 January 1835, he was of Buffalo, New York, a minor). He married May Ann Anthony and had issue:

- (118) William
- (119) Margaret
- (120) Harriet
- (121) Sarah Cornelia
- (122) Thomas
- (123) Edward

(58) Mary Randall Knower died, aged 8 years. (When her grandfather's will was drawn, 26 January 1835, she was of Buffalo, New York, a minor.)

(59) Peter Donnelly Stevens was born in 1819. He married at Albany, New York, in 1843, his cousin, Ruth Cornelia Knower, (55), who was born in 1823, and died 11 October 1850, aged 27 years (8 months, seven days. The lived at the corner of Don and State Streets, Albany, and she was buried in Albany Rural Cemetery, Albany. He did a great deal of the hand carving in the old state house in Albany. When his grandfather's will was drawn, 26 January 1835, he was of Albany, New York, a minor). He died 19 March 1889, at Cato, New York, having had issue:

- (124) Anna Maria, born 22 April 1845.
- (125) George Martin.

(60) George Martin Stevens, Jr. (lived at Albany, New York, married Elizabeth Packard and died there having had issue:

(125.1) Chester Packard.

(61) Cornelia Stevens married, at Albany, 10 June 1846, Elvin Taylor, and had issue:

(She died at Albany. When her grandfather's will was drawn, 26 January 1835, she lived in Onandaga County, New York, a minor. He was a business man in Albany and lived in Chestnut Street there. He was first a stone-mason at North Hampton, Effingham and Pelham, New Hampshire and operated a stone-yard at Boston, Massachusetts before 1844, when he moved to Albany. At Albany he first operated a stone yard in the lower part of the city, was later a wholesale grocer, and from 1860-1885 he was in the saddlery and carriage hardware business at 420 Broadway under the name of Elvin Taylor and Sons. He had also a mill for carriage woodwork at New Albany, Illinois. She was born at Albany about 1824 and died there January 1889, aged 65 years. She was buried in Albany Rural Cemetery. He was born Probably at Stratham, New Hampshire, in 1811 and died at Albany, 3 February 1885, aged 74. He was buried in Albany Rural Cemetery.)

(126) George Martin born at Albany in 1847.



- (126.1) **Cornelia born at Albany in 1850.**
- (126.2) **Emma born at Albany in 1853.**
- (127) **Ida M. born at Albany, 18 June 1857.**
- (128) **Eugene Russell born at Albany in 1862.**
- (129) **William F, born at Albany 19 December 1864.**

(62) James Stevens married Martha, daughter of Eben Taylor and Nancy Rand of Rye, New Hampshire. (She and her daughter lived at one time in Boston Massachusetts. After the death of her daughter she entered the Wales home at Brockton, Massachusetts. When his grandfather's will was drawn, 26 January 1835, he lived in Onandaga County, N.Y., a minor. She was born in New Hampshire, 4 December 182. She died at Brockton, 16 March 1918 and was then buried in Melrose Cemetery. He was buried in Elvin Taylor's lot in Albany Rural Cemetery. They lived in Palmyra and Albany, New York.) He died 28 March 1870, aged 43 years, having had issue:

- (130) Emma, born in 1860.
- (131) Alfred **Lincoln** born in 1863.

(63) xxx (x) Donnelly, died young.

(64) Alexander Graham Donnelly was born at Jamesville, New York, 4 July 1835. He enlisted, 17 December 1861, as a private, Company K, 3<sup>rd</sup> New York Infantry, for 18 months, and served in the battle of Malvern Hill and at the siege of Suffolk, until 30 May 1863, when he was honorably discharge at Albany, New York. He married, in 1867, Molly (Martha) Shannon, who died in 1883. Following the Civil War he lived for some years at Bennettsburg, New York. He became interested in copper and for many years prospected for the metal in Venezuela, and neighboring South American countries. He returned to New York and was a pioneer in the development of cameras and projectors for moving pictures, being patentee of the basic features in the early machine use by the Keystone Company. He lived in New York and with his niece, Marietta Donnelly Wickham, at Burdett, New York, until his death. Upon his application executed 27 March 1923, he was allowed a pension of \$50. per month under the Act of 1 May 1920, which was discontinued 4 August 1925, because of his death. He died at Burdett, 7 August 1926, and was buried in the Union Cemetery, Bennettsburg. He had issue:

- (132) Frank Vincent, born in 1867.

(65) Henry Delos Donnelly was born in the township of Hector, New York, in the village of Bennettsburg, 12 August 1840. He attended the local school and Homer Academy where his uncle Richard Graham, was an instructor. After leaving Homer he taught school in Burdett, and read law until the outbreak of the Civil War. He organized, largely in Elmira, Company H, 107<sup>th</sup> Infantry, New York Volunteers, and was mustered in as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant, 10 August 1862. He became Captain, 25 December 1862, was discharged 23 May 1863, and was brevetted a Major in 1864. He was admitted to the New York State Bar in 1865, and practiced law in Ithaca with Judge Finch, and as a partner in the firm of



Wells and Dana. He formed a law partnership of Fanton & Donnelly, with Hull Fanton, of Havana, New York, and subsequently was a partner of Judge Robertson, moving to New York, in 1871, to look after the firm's interests there. He was attorney for Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict and its successor, the Union Typewriter Company, and on their behalf prosecuted many litigations involving the fundamental patents of the typewriter art. He was associated as counsel with the famous Bell Telephone litigation which went to the Supreme Court of the United States and the opinion of which occupied one entire volume of the Supreme Court records. He was, at one time or another attorney of the Cottrell Press Company, the Clark Thread Company, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, and served until his death as patent consultant for the Remington Typewriter company. His later years he spent in private practice, with emphasis on patent and trademark law. He was a member of the Masonic Order, American Bar, New York City Bar, County of New York Bar, and State of New York Bar Associations, and of the Institute of Patent Law. He married, at Ithaca, 7 April 1868, Abigail Ann, daughter of Lemuel and Emeline Sumner Martin, who was born at Ithaca, 27 September 1835, and died at Burdett, 16 March 1925. When he first came to New York he lived at Bayonne, New Jersey, but moved, about 1872, to Brooklyn, where he lived until his death, 28 May 1923. They are buried in the Union Cemetery, Bennettsburg, having had issue:

- (133) Lucy Martin, born at Ithaca, 13 September 1870.
- (134) Emily Graham, born at Ithaca, 25 July 1873.

(66) Andrew J. Donnelly was born 12 March 1845. He married Lydia, daughter of Jacob and Annie D. Bond, of Burdett, New York, 3 February 1869. He was a farmer and lived at Burdett, where he died 14 May 1909. He is buried in the Union Cemetery, Bennettsburg, and had issue:

- (135) Nellie, born 5 August 1873.
- (136) Marietta, born 19 March 1876.
- (137) Henry Delos, born 26 June 1879.
- (138) Jacob, born 1882.

(67) Richard A. Donnelly was born in 1849 (8). He married Maria Keeler, and lived at Allen, Hillsdale County, Michigan, where he was a farmer and where he died in November 1934. His father and mother lived with him until their deaths. His wife lived, in 1935, with her daughter. He had issue:

- (139) Peter
- (140) Paul
- (141) Richard A.
- (142) Emily Graham

**(67.1) James Donnelly inherited from his great-aunt Jane, in a will dated 28 November 1849, \$100. Letters of guardianship to his father since he was six years old on 15 August 1854.**



(68) Daniel William Baker was born in Darien, Georgia, about 1827 (**9 November 1828.**) He married Harriet Newell Baldwin, lived in Newark, New Jersey, and is buried in the Baker plot in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Newark. (**She was born 29 October 1830 and died May 1900. He died 2 August 1891. she was buried 15 May 1900, he 5 August 1891 in lot 64, Section S., Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark.**) He had issue:

- (143) George Ward, born **16 February 1863.**
- (144) Anna Baldwin, born **3 February 1854**-she should be before 143.
- (145) Cyrus, O.
- (146) Julia Baldwin, born **8 November 1866.**
- (147) Daniel W.
- (148) Charles Ward

(69) Cyrus Osborne Baker (**was born 18 July 1831**) lived at Newark, New Jersey, was unmarried. (**He died 4 July 1902 and was buried 8 July 1902 in lot 64, Section S, Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark.**)

**(69.1) Abner Donnelly inherited \$100 from his great-aunt Jane, in her will dated 28 November 1849.**

(70) Mary Augusta Doubleday married Alfred Sargent, of Staten Island, New York.

(71) Stephen Ward Doubleday married Angelica Cushman. He was elected a member of the St. Nicholas Society of New York, 4 March 1889.

(72) Miriam A. Everts.

(73) Hester Everts.

(74) Ulysses D. Everts.

(75) Mary T. Everts married Newton Chesebro, and had issue:

- (149) Jessica

(76) Ruth M. Everts.

(77) Ulysses Doubleday Eddy was born at Auburn, New York, 28 July 1843. University of Illinois. He was commissioned 2<sup>nd</sup> lieutenant, 12<sup>th</sup> New York Volunteers, served on General Hancock's staff, and was later transferred to the 4<sup>th</sup> New York Heavy Artillery. He was captured at Fredericksburg, and was slightly wounded at Spottsylvania. He moved to New York, New York, was a merchant, and married Jane, daughter of Henry Brevoort of New York and Rye, who was born in the old Brevoort mansion, at 54<sup>th</sup> Street and the East River, 3 March 1843 and died 2 February 1905. (**His grave in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York shows that he was born 23 October 1843 and died 2 April 1917 and the cemetery shows his late residence as Larchmont She was born 3 March 1843**)



and died 2 February 1905, and was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York.) He lived at Rye, New York, and died in 1917, having had issue:

- (150) Henry Brevoort, born 16 September 1872.
- (151) Anne Brevoort, born 25 August 1874.
- (152) Matilda Stewart, born 25 August 1874.
- (153) Herman Selby, born 1 April 1876.
- (154) Arthur Lothrop Selby, born 15 August 1881 **(Donator's Note:1881 crossed off 1877.)**

(78) William Abner Eddy was born at New York, New York, 28 January 1850. He married, 21 April 1887, at Jersey City, New Jersey, Cynthia Sophia, daughter of August Zadok and Cynthia Miller Wood Higgins, who was born at New York, 6 December 1856, and died at Bayonne, New Jersey, 16 November 1922. He was the inventor of the box-kite, and died 26 December 1909, having had issue:

- (155) Margaret Doubleday, born 11 January 1888.

(79) Thomas Augustus Eddy was born at Brooklyn, New York, 9 November 1854. He married Abby Winslow, who was born at New Bedford, Massachusetts in 1856. He lived in Brooklyn and Flushing, New York, and was elected a member of St. Nicholas Society, of New York, 4 March 1889. He had issue:

- (156) Marjorie, born 10 June 1890.

(80) Mary Millicent Eddy was born at Bloomington, Illinois, about 1858, and died there aged two years.

(81) Lillian Eddy was born at Bloomington, Illinois, in September 1864. She married, 26 April 1883, Edward Corning, and lived at Stamford, Connecticut. They had issue:

- (157) Lillian, born 7 May 1884.
- (158) Edward Parsons, born 24 July 1887.
- (159) Anne Matilda, born 22 May 1889.
- (160) Helen, born 24 April 1891.
- (161) Marjorie, born 9 February 1893.

(82) James Stewart Doubleday was a physician and lived at Morristown, New Jersey.

**(82.1) Alice Doubleday was born 1 October 1852 and died 21 May 1856. She is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, New York.**

**(82.2) Amy Doubleday was born 27 December 1857 and died 18 April 1861 and is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, New York.**



(82.3) **Millie Doubleday was born 26 November 1862 and died 27 February 1869 and is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, New York.**

(83) Harold Doubleday lived at Asheville, North Carolina.

(84) Mary Stewart Doubleday was born at New York, New York, 27 June 1851. Hobart Hall, New York; Moravian Seminary, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. As a girl she wrote verses published in Lippincotts and little stories for the Young Christian Soldier, a church mission paper. She married, 29 December, 1875, Charles Weed Cutting, M.D., of Chicago Illinois. (**Charles Weed Cutting was born 30 July 1843, died 10 February 1893 and was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, New York. She was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, and her late residence is given as East Orange, New Jersey.**) He died in 1893, and she resumed her writing thereafter. She was an Episcopalian and lived at 38 Berwyn Street, Orange, New Jersey. She died 10 August 1924, having had issue:

- (162) Ulysses Doubleday
- (163) Amy
- (164) Mary Stewart, born at Orange.
- (165) Charles
- (166) Janet Brevoort
- (166.1) Phebe Alison, born 3 April 1891.**

(85) Eugene Reed died aged about one year.

(86) Arthur Eugene Reed died young, in 1863.

(87) Mary Crowe married John Pease, of Canastota and Phelps, New York. She died **March 12, 1993 at home of son Charles in Phelps**, having had issue:

- (167) Charles
- (168) Robert John
- (169) Bert
- (170) Erna
- (171) William
- (172) Loretta
- (173) George
- (174) Libby
- (175) Clarence

(88) Helen Hester Donnelly was born 15 November 1860, at Lenox township, New York. She married Garrett Rotnour of Phelps, New York, and had issue:

- (176) William
- (177) Harry.
- (178) Earl



(179) Stanley  
(180) Eva

(89) Cornelia Ann Donnelly was born 7 April 1863. She married, as his first wife, Fred W. Wolfe, of Phelps, New York. He was born at Canastota, New York, 15 December 1859, the son of John and Mary Wolfe. He lived at Waterloo, Rochester, Marbletown, and in 1939 at Phelps. **They had one child:**

**(181) Carl**

(90) Laura Augusta Donnelly was born 28 January 1867. She married as his second wife, Fred W. Wolfe, of Phelps, New York. She died in 1937, and is buried in the Phelps Cemetery. She had no issue.

(91) John Wesley Donnelly was born at Phelps, New York, 1 April 1869. He married Stella, daughter of Charles and Lauretta Leroy Ridley, who was born at Phelps, 17 November 1869, and lived on Ontario Street, there in 1939. (**John Wesley Donnelly-successful farmer-known for integrity of character, served as for collector member of school board when new high school was built, active in church and grange etc. Stella still resides on Ontario St. at Phelps, New York**). He died June 17, 1928, buried in Phelps, having had issue:

(182) Ethel, born 20 October 1891, **at Phelps**.  
(183) Maud, born 4 January 1893, **at Phelps**.

(92) Charles Oscar Donnelly was born at Phelps, New York, 12 March 1871. He married Leonora, daughter of John Nichols and Olive Cooper Mitchell, who was born at Galen, Wayne County, New York, 22 May 1872, and lived in 1939, in Phelps. He was a farmer, lived at Waterloo, New York, and died there in 1928. He is buried in Phelps and had issue:

(184) Charles Howard, born at Clifton Springs, 16 September 1898.  
(185) Kenneth Mitchell born at Melvin Hill (Phelps), 3 November 1901.  
(186) Marion Edith, born at Melvin Hill, (Phelps), 28 January 1906.  
(187) Thomas Leighton, born at Junius, New York, 28 November 1913.

(93) Arthur Eugene Donnelly died, aged two years, 3 Jun 1863. (**He was born 28 November 1861**).

(94) Isabelle Donnelly **was born 25 November 1864** and married George Weimer, of Canastota, New York **on March 12, 1889**. She died 27 May 1936, having had issue:

(188) Ina Belle born May 4, 1890.  
(189) Almond Donnelly born November 11, 1891.  
(190) Harriet Sarah born June 14, 1896.



- (191) Carl George born March 31, 1894 (comes before 190).
- (192) Catharine Josephine born December 14, 1902.
- 9193) xxx (x)

(95) Eugene Donnelly was born **8 September 1866** and married **Lura Faulkner** and had issue:

- (194) Bertha born **January 10, 1909**
- (195) Robert (comes before 194)

(96) Emmagene Donnelly (Eugene's twin sister) died, aged six years, one month, 17 October 1872. **She was born 8 September 1866.**

(97) Emmanuel s. Donnelly died 14 Jun 1933. **He was born 18 December 1872.**

(98) Robert John Conner was born 21 August 1864. After the death of his mother, in 1873, he lived with his aunt, Ruth Crowe. He married, at Ann Arbor, Michigan, 28 March 1898, Isabel, daughter of James and Margaret Wiley McNaughton, who was born at Darumhazart, co. Donegal, Ireland, 2 September 1866. they live at Phelps, New York and have issue:

**(Without Rob's help, my "family history" would have been impossible. He owns "largest house in world" which Ripley has featured in "Believe it or not" column. Robert has been a farmer – but more than that, mentally keen – a clever conversationalists, ready wit and has a remarkable memory. His farm adjoined that of his cousin, John Wesley Donnelly. Together they enjoyed reminiscing about family history. Their tales, told over and over impressed me much as a child, and is source of my interest in the Donnelly genealogy. Rob, who before he was married, worked for my father, John; was fond of children to our delight, he romped and played with us. Taught us our A.B.C.s and provided happy memories of early childhood days. Maud D. Mickelsen.)**

(196) Frank Carl, born at Phelps, 10 November 1901.

(99) William D. Knower was born at Buffalo, New York, 19 October 1836, and died there 10 May 1840.

(100) Edward C. Knower was born at Buffalo, New York, 7 September 1839. **(He was a captain in the United States Army. His father wrote 6 December 1864: "Edward is home at present. Regret he will not leave as he has been appointed a Captain in the Veterans Reserve Corps which appointment is for life. His pay will be about \$1900 per year. He is well of his wound but will always limp a little.)** He married, 10 October 1867, Mary D. McElderry, of Baltimore, Maryland, and had issue:

(197) Henry, born 5 August 1868.



(101) William B. Knower was born at Buffalo, New York, 12 February 1841. (He served in the Civil War. His father writing to his nephew said "I received your letter of Nov. 14 a short time ago and have waited to answer it until now in hopes I might be able to hear from Billy. I have never heard from him not once and that was three days after he was taken prisoner. I understand he has been sent from Libby prison to the Prison at Salisbury, North Carolina. I see by the paper that the Prisoners at Salisbury tried to make their escape but were overpowered by the guards and 110 of them were killed and a large number wounded. I am afraid Billy might be one of them.")

(102) Anna N. Knower was born at Albany, New York, 2 June 1842, and died at Sing Sing, New York.

(103) Mary Knower was born at Albany, New York, 3 January 1845, and died there, 14 February 1845.

(104) Mary Knower was born at Albany, New York, 8 February 1846, and died at West Troy, New York, 12 December 1846.

**(104.5) Laura Knower was born at West Troy, New York 9 March 1847.**

(105) Cornelia Eliza Buckhout.

(106) John Buckhout, served in the Navy, and was at the battle of Fort Fisher and many other engagements.

(107) Frank Lawrence died, unmarried, before 1933.

(108) Cornelius Abraham Groot was born at Auburn, New York 3 April 1837. A.B. (Union college, 1862) ; M.D. (Albany Medical School, 1864.) (He served as assistant surgeon in the fifteenth New York Engineer Corps, holding rank at First Lieutenant. He served as medical cadet, from Auburn, New York, 23 April 1863.) He was assistant surgeon in the Civil War, and married, 24 August 1865, Anna Maria (124), daughter of Peter Donnelly and Cornelia Knower Stevens, who was born 22 April 1845 at Albany, New York and died 23 August 1905. Both are buried at Fort Hill Cemetery, Auburn. He died 6 August 1892, at Auburn having issue:

(199) Stella Alice, born 24 October 1866.

(200) Edith Stevens, born 19 November 1868.

(201) Sarah Louise, born 1 September 1873.

(202) Mary E. Knower, born 10 September 1874.

(203) Georgiana, born at Westbury, Wayne County, New York, 10 January 1876.

(204) Abraham Cornelius, born 18 May 1877.

(205) William Marcy, born 18 September 1878.



(109) Samuel Knower Groot was born 28 February 1839 and died 12 April 1844.

(110) Maria Louise Groot was born 5 December 1840 and died 3 March 1843.

(111) Cornelia Augusta Groot was born 4 August 1843. She married **at Auburn, New York, David Doan Gregory (both buried in the Fort Hill Cemetery, Auburn, New York. He was born in Newburgh, New York. He lived and died aged about 63 years, in Syracuse, New York. He died there at the corner of East Genesee Street and Crouse Avenue. For more than 20 years in hardware business in the firm of Merriam and Gregory. Ill for the later years of his life. His wife and both sons survived him.)** and died 30 September 1919, having had issue:

(206) David Doan, born at Syracuse, New York, 20 August 1873.

(207) George Groot, born at Syracuse, 20 June 1883.

(112) Sarah Knower Groot was born 29 October 1845 and died 2 June 1854.

(113) Mary Curtice.

(114) Cornelia Curtice.

(115) Caroline Curtice married xxx Hitchcock and had issue. **He was a lawyer.**

(116) Howard Curtice married. **He wrote poetry.**

(117) Everett Curtice died.

(118) William Knower died.

(119) Margaret Knower married Percy Husted and had no issue.

(120) Harriet Knower, **died in Albany, New York, 25 May 1918.**

(121) Sarah Cornelia Knower married Charles Munsell of Albany, New York, who was born at Albany, 24 December 1852, the fourth child of Joel Munsell. They were married at Albany 7 September 1876. He was a bookbinder and lived at Albany in 1884. She died 15 February 1888, having had issue:

(208) Harried Edith, born at Albany, 24 Jun 1878.

(209) Grace Heusted, born at Albany, 19 July 1880.

(210) Bessie Evelyn.

(211) Alice Mary, born at Albany, 10 March 1883.

(122) Thomas Knower had issue:



(212) Frank

(123) Edward Knower.

(124) Anna Maria Stevens was born 22 April 1845, at Albany, New York. She married, 24 August 1865, Cornelius Abraham Groot (108).

(125) George Martin Stevens married, first, 30 December 1869, Mary Hall. He married, secondly, Sarah. He died in California in 1909, having had issue:

By (2) (213) Clarence, born in 1892.

(214) Edith Pearl, born 14 November 1895.

**(125.1) Chester Packard Stevens lived on Chestnut Street, Albany, New York.**

(126) George Martin Taylor was born at Albany, New York in 1847, died in Albany, New York, 5 August 1868, aged 21 years.

**(126.1) Cornelia Taylor was born at Albany, New York in 1850 and died in infancy.**

**(126.2) Emma Taylor was born at Albany, New York in 1853 and died in infancy.**

(127) Ida M. Taylor (she was born at Albany 18 June 1857 and lived in Pennsylvania in 1930) married Dwight L Crego (of Albany) at Albany, 25 June 1873 and had issue:

(215) Emma, born at Albany 13 August 1876.

(216) Russe11, born at Albany in 1878.

(217) Ella, born at Albany in 1880.

(128) Eugene Russell Taylor was born at Albany, New York 23 October 1858 and married Sarah Childs (daughter of William and Jane Augelsey), of Derby, England, who was born near London, 4 January 1863, and had issue:

(He was a traveling salesman after 1875, when he became a representative of his father's firm. From about 1894 to 1932 he lived at Delmar, New York. In 1932 he moved to Harrington Park, New Jersey. He died 24 July 1937, at the home of his younger daughter in Harrington Park, New Jersey and was buried in the Albany Rural Cemetery. She was living in 1935.)

(218) Ethel Marshall, born at Albany, 12 January 1884.

(219) Lillian Hailey born at Albany, 18 February 1892.

(219.1) Edwin E., born at Delmar, 29 June 1894.

(129) Ella Taylor was born at Albany, New York in 1862 and died in infancy. She and her other sisters were first buried at the Old Cemetery and later buried in the Albany Rural Cemetery.



**(129.1) William E. Taylor was born at Albany 19 December 1864, and lived at Middletown, New York in 1935. He married at Albany 11 March 1889, Jeanne Elizabeth Macon, who was born in Uniontown, Le Porte County Indiana. He had issue:**

**(215.3) Inez born at Albany, 6 August 1890.**

**(130) Emma Stevens was born in 1860 and died. She lived with her mother in Boston, Massachusetts. She was matron of the Woman's Educational Union.**

**(131) Alfred Stevens was born in 1863 and died.**

**(132) Frank Vincent Donnelly was born in 1867. He went west after the death of his mother, and was last heard of as living in Seattle, Washington, in 1905.**

**(133) Lucy Martin Donnelly, was born at Ithaca, New York, 13 September 1870. Adelphi Academy, 1889; B.A., Bryn Mawr College, 1893; Oxford and Leipzig, 1893 -4; Sorbonne and College de France, 1894-5. Instructor in English, Bryn Mawr College, 1895-1909; Professor of English Literature there, 1909-1936. She lives at New Place, Rosemont, Pennsylvania.**

**(134) Emily Graham Donnelly was born at Ithaca, New York, 25 July 1873. She married at Brooklyn, New York, 3 October 1900, John Buell Stephens, of Brooklyn, who was born at Fulton, New York, 26 July 1872, son of William Crombie and Sylvia Jane Buell Stephens, of Fulton, New York. He, Ph.B., Cornell University, 1894, was admitted to the New York Bar in 1896, and practiced law in Brooklyn until his death there, 16 April 1921. She died at South Portland, Maine, 24 February 1938, and was buried, 26 February, in Union Cemetery, Bennettsburg, New York. He was buried at Mt. Adnah Cemetery, Fulton. She had issue:**

**(220) John James, born at Brooklyn, 7 November 1901.**

**(135) Nellie Donnelly was born a Burdett, New York, 5 August 1873. She married William Wickham of Hector, New York, who was born at Bennettsburg, in August 1871. They lived, in 1939, in Burdett, New York, and had issue:**

**(221) Donald, born at Hector, 1 November 1903.**

**(136) Marietta Donnelly was born at Bennettsburg, New York, 19 March 1876. She married, 5 September 1899, Ford Wickham, of Burdett, who was born at Havana, 21 October 1874. They lived, in 1939, at Burdett.**

**(137) Henry Delos Donnelly was born 26 June 1879. He died 19 October 1885, and is buried in the Union Cemetery, Bennettsburg, New York.**



(138) Jacob Donnelly was born in 1882. He married Cara Elliott, who died in 1939. He lived in 1939, in Buffalo, New York, and had issue:

(222) Harold Andrew, born 21 September 1905.

(139) Peter Donnelly is a farmer, living a short distance from Allen, Michigan. He had issue:

(223) xxx  
(224) xxx  
(225) xxx  
(226) xxx  
(227) xxx  
(228) xxx

(140) Paul Donnelly is a farmer, and lived, in 1939, on his father's homestead, at Allen, Michigan. He had issue:

(232) xxx  
(233) xxx  
(234) xxx

(141) Richard A. Donnelly married Genevieve and lived, in 1935, at 275 Bird Avenue, Buffalo, New York. He had issue:

(234) xxx, born in October 1926.  
(235) xxx, born in February 1930.

(142) Emily Graham Donnelly married Andrew Keating, a farmer, and lived, in 1935 near Allen, Michigan. They had issue:

(234) xxx  
(235) xxx  
(236) xxx  
(237) xxx

(143) George Ward Baker was born 16 February 1863, died 17 August 1863 and was buried in the Baker plot lot 64, section S, 19 August 1963, in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey.

(144) Anna Baldwin Baker was born 3 February 1854 and died 20 November 1856 and was buried in the Baker plot in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, in lot 64, Section S, Newark, New Jersey, 20 November 1856.



(145) Cyrus O. Baker was twice married. His second wife, in 1937, was living abroad. He was buried with his brother, Charles Ward Baker, in a plot, unmarked in 1937, in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey. He had no issue.

(146) Julia Baldwin Baker **was born 8 November 1866 and died 15 June 1879** aged 12 years, and was buried in the Baker plot in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey, **lot 64, section S, 17 June 1879.**

(147) Daniel W. Baker was buried in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey. His widow lived, in 1937, "in the West".

(148) Charles Ward Baker lived at Newark, New Jersey. He was a refiner of precious metals, doing business under the name of Baker & Company at Murray and Austin Streets, Newark. He married Lavinia Mahala Parsons, who survived him and lived, in 1937 at 190 Ridgewood Avenue, Glen Ridge, New Jersey. He was buried in an unmarked plot (1937) in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, at Newark, and had issue:

(238) Harriet Lavinia.

(149) Jessica Chesebro **lived in 1941 in Noank, Connecticut.**

(150) Henry Brevoort Eddy was born 16 September 1872. Harvard College, 1894, where he was an editor of the Lampoon. He was on the New York Sun and thereafter on other papers, including the New York American, and illustrated several books. Until his death he was an editor and cartoonist on the staff of the American Weekly Magazine. He married Marjorie Barre, who died in February 1935. He lived at Brevoort Farm, Rye, New York, where he died of a heart attack, 29 July 1935. Funeral services were at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Mamaroneck, and burial in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, 31 July. **(Marguerite Barre Eddy, died 52 years, 18 March 1935, being then of New Rochelle, New York, and was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York. He was buried in lot 278 LLP, Section 60 Observatory Plot, Woodlawn and his late residence is given as New Rochelle.)**

(151) Anne Brevoort Eddy was born 25 August 1874. She married, 20 December 1900, Reginald Prescott Walden, and lived, in 1939, at Widewater, Brevoort Lane, Mamaroneck, New York. She had issue:

(239) Jane Brevoort, born at Mamaroneck, 8 October 1901.

(240) Anne Townsend, born at Mamaroneck, 8 July 1903.

(241) Caroline, born at Mamaroneck, 8 May 1906.

(242) Rosamund Prescott, born at Mamaroneck, 15 March 1908.

(152) Matilda Stewart Eddy was born 25 August 1874. She married, 27 April 1907, Howard Talbot Walden, and lived, **in 1941**, at Brevoort Lane, Rye, New York. She had issue:



(243) Howard Talbot, born 24 May 1908.

(153) Herman Selby Eddy was born 1 April 1876, and died 14 February 1879. **The Woodlawn Cemetery Record shows his death as 16 February 1879 and his late residence as 119 East 40<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, New York.**

(154) Arthur Lothrop Eddy was born 15 August 1877 and died 20 May 1885. **He is buried in lot #278 LLP, Section 60 Observatory Plot, Woodlawn Cemetery, New York and his late residence is give as 119 East 40<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, New York.**

(155) Margaret Doubleday Eddy was born 11 January 1888. She is unmarried and lived, in 1939, at 977 Avenue C, Bayonne, New Jersey.

(156) Marjorie Eddy was born 10 June 1890.

(157) Lillian Corning was born 7 May 1884, and died in 1887.

(158) Edward Parsons Corning was born 24 July 1887 at Orange, New Jersey. He was, in 1939, president and director of the Edward Corning Company, 204 East 30<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, and lived at 19 Sound Avenue, Shippian Point, Connecticut. He was treasurer of the Architectural League of New York.

(159) Anna Matilda Corning was born 22 May 1889. She lived at Shippian Point, Connecticut, and New York, New York.

(160) Helen Corning was born 24 April 1891. She lived at Shippian Point, Connecticut, and at New York, New York.

(161) Marjorie Corning was born 9 February 1892. She lived at Shippian Point, Connecticut, and at New York, New York.

(162) Ulysses Doubleday Cutting, in 1939, lived at 202 Harrison Street, East Orange, New Jersey, and was in business at 120 Broadway, New York, New York.

(163) Amy Cutting lived, 1934, at 202 Harrison Street, East Orange, New Jersey.

(164) Mary Stewart Cutting was born at Orange, New Jersey. She was editor of Everybody's Magazine, and a writer of special newspaper articles. She died at New York, New York, 1 December 1928, and was buried at Woodlawn Cemetery, 3 December. **(Her age is given by the cemetery record as 49 years and her late residence as 132 East 97<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, New York.)**

(165) Charles Cutting.



(166) Janet Brevoort Cutting died 27 April 1917 and was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Yew York, New York, aged 36 years, in Lot SW ½ Section 34 Beech Plot. Her late residence is give by the cemetery record as East Orange, New Jersey.

(166.1) Phoebe Alison Cutting was born 3 April 1891 and died 16 May 1893. She is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, New York, New York.

(167) Charles Pease married Neva Coombs and had issue:

(243.1) Geraldine, oldest child graduated from Houghton College, married, is now teaching school at Phelps New York.

(168) Robert John Pease married Annie Smith, sister of Margaret, also from England. A daughter Roberta was born after Robert's death. Annie and baby went back to England.

(243.2) Robert.

(169) Bert Pease.

(170) Erna Pease. Married an Eaton.

(171) William Pease married Margaret Smith of England. They have two daughters.

(243.3) xxx

(243.4) xxx

(172) Loretta Pease. Married Frank Garret.

(173) George Pease.

(174) Libby Pease.

(175) Clarence Pease.

(176) William Rotnour. William Rotnour married Erna. One Daughter Loretta who has children. William was a telegrapher.

(243.5) Loretta who has children.

(177) Harry Rotnour married Grace—one daughter, lives in Dunkirk, New York.

(243.5) xxx

(178) Earl Rotnour married



(179) Stanley Rotnour. **Stanley died suddenly of heart attack, summer of 1939. One son survives:**

(243.6) xxx

(180) Eva Rotnour married Burt Beech. They have four children:

(243.71) Helen, graduated from Phelps High School in 1939.

(243.72) "Buddy"

(243.73) Margaret

(243.74) James

(181) **Carl Wolfe died in infancy.**

(182) Ethel Donnelly was born 20 October 1891. She married Fred Adams, of Phelps, New York, and died 19 April 1939. **(Ethel Donnelly Adams graduated from Phelps High School (she was born in Phelps) in 1908-was valedictorian Brockport Normal School in 1911, was president of Agonian Sorority. Taught in the Canastota schools one year. Married Fred Adams August 20, 1912. Taught several years in schools around Phelps. Was active in church circles, serving as Sunday school superintendent in Methodist Church at Seneca Castle, as district officer of Women's Missionary Society, a leader in Home Bureau and Grange activities and her two children, Kenneth and Leona died at birth.)**

(183) Maud Donnelly was born 4 January 1893. She married G. Howard Mickelsen, **born Dec. 2, 1892, of Oaks Corners, New York.** He is a Presbyterian minister. **They now live at North Tonawanda, New York.** They have issue:

**(Maud Donnelly Mickelsen graduated from Phelps High School in 1910, was salutatorian. From Syracuse University with A.B. degree in 1916. A member of Theta Chi Beta-Honorary Biblical Fraternity, in 1916. Taught English and Biology in Newark High School, Newark, N.Y., for two years, married Rev. G. Howard Mickelsen, A.B. & B.D., a graduate of Hobart College and Auburn Theological Seminary, Aug. 7, 1918. First pastor at Canoga on Cayuga Lake, a rural field. This church was surveyed by Committee on Social & Religious Survey in 1930 and chosen as one of fifty most successful rural parishes in the whole United States. The book "Churches of Distinction in Town and Country" by Edmund de Brunner published in 1921 by Doran Co., Ellicottville where John was born and Pastor at. Here Mr. Mickelsen also coached H.S. basketball team and was most popular. The depression found them in Lackawanna, Bethel Presbyterian Church, steel plant city. Served nearly 10 years, loved by all. Now in North Presbyterian Church, North Tonawanda, N.Y. Maud has had stories, poems and articles published in church magazines. She is now president of Tonawanda Council of Church Women and secretary of Children's Works for Buffalo Niagara Presbytery's Womans Missionary Society, commonly called Presbyterial.)**



(244) John Kenneth, born at **Ellicottville**, 27 January 1925.

(245) Alice, born at Lackawanna, 10 May 1928.

(184) Charles Howard Donnelly was born at Clifton Springs, New York, 16 September 1898. He served three years in the world war. University of Michigan, 1920. He married Jean Angela, daughter of William and Ida Angela Pinkham Wallace, who was born at Omaha, Nebraska. University of Southern California, A.B., University of Michigan. He was in 1939, president and director of Donnelly, Gleim & Co., 949 Penobscot Building, Detroit, Michigan; secretary, treasurer, and director of Rivard Terraces, Inc., Montrose Holding Co., Vernor-Sharon Corporation, 2994 Rochester Corporation; secretary and treasurer, 1161 Seward Corporation, Thirty East Philadelphia Corporation, 5415 Jay Road Corporation, 10300 Grand River Corporation, 349 E. Jefferson Corporation; Treasurer and director, George F. Koppin Bondholders, Inc.; director, Hampton Roads Corporation. He lives at Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. He has issue:

(245) Joan Burke, born at Detroit, 25 September 1928.

(246) Thomas Wallace, born at Birmingham, Michigan, 23 December 1932.

(185) Kenneth Mitchell Donnelly was born at Phelps, New York, 3 November 1901. He married, Edith, daughter of William Buisch, of Junius, New York. He lived, in 1939, on a farm near Phelps, and had issue:

(248) Marion Edith, born at Junius, 11 January 1928.

(249) Robert Kenneth, born at Waterloo, 28 March 1930.

(250) Raymond William, born at Waterloo, 28 March 1930.

(186) Marion Edith Donnelly was born at Phelps, 28 January 1906. Wayne University, 1928. She married Raymond Walter Waggoner, M.D., 12 April 1930, at Rochester, Michigan, and lived, in 1939, at 3333 Geddes Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan. He is the son of Charles and Annie Waggoner, was born at Carson City, Michigan, 2 August 1901, M.D. (University of Michigan); D. Sc. (University of Pennsylvania), and is the director of the Neuro-Psychiatric Institute of the University of Michigan. The have issue:

(251) Raymond Walter, born at Ann Arbor, 12 July 1934.

(252) Karen, born at Ann Arbor, 6 June 1938.

(187) Thomas Leighton Donnelly was born at Junius, New York, 28 November 1913. Hamilton College; Albion College. He married Elsie Ruth Goodnow, at Seneca Falls, New York. She was born at Farmington, New York, 18 September 1914. After his marriage he bought and operated a dairy farm at Marathon, New York, where he died, 3 February 1939. He was buried at Phelps, New York, and his widow and children moved to Cortland, New York. He had issue:

(253) Thomas Leighton, born at Marathon, 17 November 1935.

(254) Virginia Ruth, born at Marathon, 30 January 1938.



(188) Ina **Belle** Weimer married Rufus Messinger, of Canastota, New York, **Feb. 10, 1914**. Issue:

(254.1) **George** born **Feb. 7, 1917**.

(254.2) **Rufus Clarence** born **May 31, 1921**.

(189) Almond Weiner married Mabel Olcott, of Canastota, New York, **March 25, 1914**.

(254.3) **Margaret Isabelle** born **May 17, 1915**.

(254.4) **George Burdette** born **Apr. 30, 1916**.

(254.5) **Harriet Esther** born **Sept. 5, 1920**.

(254.6) **Richard Almond** born **Apr. 27, 1924**.

(254.7) **Minnie Louise** born **Jan. 13, 1926**, died when 6 weeks old.

(190) Harriet Weimer married George Lain, of Sherrill, New York, **July 8, 1927**. No children.

(191) Carl Weimer married Nellie Gerber of Canastota, New York, **June 29, 1921**.  
(should come before 190)

(254.8) **Ava Isabelle** born **Apr. 16, 1926**.

(254.81) **Carol Jane** born **Dec. 24, 1927**.

(192) Catharine Weimer married Floyd Jaquin, of Canastota, New York, **June 29, 1927**.

(254.85) **Floyd Leslie** born **Dec. 25, 1930**.

(193) xxx (x) Weimer died young.

(194) Bertha Donnelly married Willard Swartwood, of Canastota, New York.

(195) Robert Donnelly married, first, Avis Lilly, and, secondly, Catharine. He lives at Utica, New York, and had issue:

(255) Betty.

(196) Frank Carl Conner was born at Phelps, New York, 10 November 1901. He married, at Canastota, New York, 28 March 1936, Edith May, daughter of Arthur and Minnie May Weimer of Canastota. He lives at Phelps, and has issue:

(256) Ann Isabel, born at Phelps, 16 April 1937.

(197) Henry **McElderry** Knower was born 5 August, 1868 at **Baltimore Maryland**. He married, at Baltimore, Maryland, Virginia Du Barry, 16 February 1897. He had issue:



(A.B. Johns Hopkins 1890, PhD Johns Hopkins 1896. Instructor in biology Williams College 1896-7, Instructor in anatomy, Johns Hopkins, 1899-1908, associate there 1908-9, lecturer anatomy, University of Toronto, 1909-1910, Professor of Anatomy at University of Cincinnati 1910-1925. Visiting professor of anatomy, University of Georgia 1924-6; professor of anatomy, University of Alabama, 1926-9, grant in research at Wistar Institute of Anatomy, Philadelphia; associate professor of anatomy at Albany Medical College; research fellow in biology at Yale 1932-3; research associate in biology, Yale 1933-7; June 1897 assistant in zoology at the Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Hole, 1910-1920. Librarian of laboratory. Helped found the American Journal of Anatomy and served as its managing editor 1901-1922. A founder and first editor of the Anatomical Record. Authority on the embryology of termites and frogs; did important research on the muscle bands of the human heart.)

(257) Henry Du Barry.

(258) Virginia.

(198) xxx Knower is a lawyer.

(199) Stella Alice Groot was born 24 October 1866 and died 8 December 1866.

(200) Edith Stevens Groot was born 19 November 1868 and died 6 May 1922.

(201) Sarah Louse Groot was born 1 September 1873. She married, 24 July 1906, Harry Prescott Hoskins, and died 6 December 1906.

(202) Mary E. Knower Groot was born 10 September 1874. She married, in July 1902, Francis Edward O'Brien, M.D., who was born at Rockville, Connecticut, 22 January 1871, and died 31 January 1936, in Auburn, New York. She died 12 December 1932. (He graduated Holy Cross College. P.G. Bellevue Hospital, Captain July 1918 Army Medical Corps, in charge of Base Hospital No 10, Nantes, France, Pont State department surgeon, Veterans of Foreign Wars; surgeon Cayuga Prd, V.F.W.; staff, Auburn City Hospital; Cayuga County Medical Society, New York State Medical Society.)

(203) Georgiana Groot was born at Westbury, Wayne County, New York, 10 January 1876. She married, 14 September 1898, Henry Hotchkiss Murray, who was born at Viola, Delaware, 16 March 1871, and died 28 February 1934. She lived at 204 Lippincott Avenue, Riverton, New Jersey, and had issue:

(He is buried at Fort Hill Cemetery, New York. Ph.B Yale (Sheffield) 1893, Mechanical Engineer, McIntosh & Seymour Co. 1894-1906, Victor Talking Machine Co. 1906-1929. Mechanical Engineer and manager for Mechanical Improvement Co. (Camden, New Jersey) 193-1934, Director Cinnamanson Bank & Trust, Co.; Cinnamanson Building Adhoc Association; member of board of Riverton Fire Company, member Riverton Board of Education, 2 years, Riberton Borough



**Council, 8 years; member, Delaware Society of Colonial Wars, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Franklin Institute, Hale Club (New York) Riverton Country Club, Union League Club (Philadelphia) Republican, member First Baptist Church, Auburn.)**

(259) Cornelia Groot, born at Riverton, 5 August 1912.

(204) Abraham Cornelius Groot was born 13 May 1877. He married, first, in 1897, Helen Barney, who was born 18 March 1877 and died 7 September 1928. He married, secondly, Belle Kiley. He had issue:

(260) Benjamin Franklin Knower, born 2 July 1899.

(205) William Marcy Groot was born 18 September 1878 and died 29 January 1896.

(206) David Doan Gregory was born at Syracuse, New York, 20 August 1873.

**(Educated New York Military Academy, Cornwall. Of the firm Lombard and Gregory, Syracuse, New York. He was buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Syracuse.)** He married Mary Lamb, 13 October , and had issue:

(261) David Doan

(262) Elizabeth

(263) Carol

(264) Suzanne, born at Syracuse, 10 January 1916.

(207) George Groot Gregory was born at Syracuse, New York, 20 June 1883. **(Syracuse University)** He married, 15 September 1915, Clara, daughter of Frank H. and Amanda Carpenter Reynolds Hale, who was born at Palmyra, 17 November 1890. He died at Fayetteville, 21 November 1928, having had issue:

(265) Anne Hetherington, born at Syracuse, 31 July 1917.

(266) Jean Hale, born at Syracuse, 24 December 191.

(267) George Groot, born at Syracuse, 14 August 1923.

(268) David Hale, born at Syracuse, 15 August 1927.

(208) Harriet Edith Munsell was born at Albany, New York, 24 June 1878, and married Marcus Miller. **(She lived in 1941 at 120 Harlem Avenue, New York, New York.)** She had no issue.

(209) Grace Huested Munsell was born at Albany, New York, 19 July 1880.

(210) Bessie Evelyn Munsell died 15 September 1887.

(211) Alice Mary Munsell was born at Albany, New York, 10 March 1883, and died 12 September 1887.



(212) Frank Knower.

(213) Clarence Stevens was born in 1892.

(214) Edith Pearl Stevens was born 14 November 1895, and died 22 November 1899, aged 4 years, 8 days.

**(215) Emma Crego, born at Albany New York, 13 August 1876.**

**(216) Russell Crego, born at Albany, New York in 1878; living in Pennsylvania in 1930.**

**(217) Ella Crego born at Albany, New York in 1880; lived, in 1930 near Buffalo, New York.**

**(218) Ethel Marshall Taylor was born at Albany, New York, 12 January 1884, and died there 14 February 1892. she was buried in the Albany Rural Cemetery.**

**(219) Lillian Hailey Taylor (born at Albany, New York 18 February 1892.) married Leland Welrath Krake (at Delmar, New York 11 February 1914. She lived in 1937 at Harrington Park, New Jersey. He was son of Alfred Seymore Krake and was born at Morristown, New York, 13 September 1883. He was a civil engineer, New York Central Railroad and died in 1935 at Harrington Park New Jersey), and had issue:**

**(269) Alfred Seymore, born at Utica, New York, 29 January 1915.**

**(270) Leland Welrath, born at Delmar, 30 July 1919.**

**(219.2) Edwin E. Taylor was born at Delmar, New York 29 June 1894 and was a radio distributor at Albany. Graduated Albany High School. Served 1917-1918 at Base Hospital No. 33; married 25 November 1931, Mrs. Edna D. Kelley of Menards, New York. Lived Albany.**

**(219.3) Inez Taylor was born at Albany, New York 6 August 1890. She married 28 June 1914 Charles Hall Lay. She died at Albany 3 November 1926 and was buried in the Albany Rural Cemetery. She had issue:**

**(270.5) James W. Leland Albany, 4 April 1915.**

**(220) John James Stephens, II., was born at Brooklyn, New York, 7 November 1901. A.B. (Cornell University, 1922). He married, at Mineola, New York, 18 July 1928, Viola, daughter of William and Mary Underhill McCarthy, who was born in Mineola, 5 December 1898; A.B. (Wellesley College, 1919). They live at 97 Clinton, Avenue, Mineola, and had issue:**

**(271) John James, III., born at Brooklyn, 16 May 1932.**



(221) Donald T. Wickham was born at Hector, New York, 1 November 1903. B.S. (Cornell University 1925). He lives at Hector, New York, is an Associate, New York State School of Agriculture, and Head Field Officer, Agricultural Conservation Program.

(222) Harold Andrew Donnelly was born 21 September 1905, and lives at Burdett, New York.

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(232) xxx Donnelly was born in October 1926.

(233) xxx Donnelly was born in February 1930.

(234) xxx Keating, in 1935, taught school in Allen Michigan.

(235) xxx Keating

(236) xxx Keating

(237) xxx Keating

(238) Harriet Lavinia Baker married William Nelson Mansfield and lived, in 1939 at 190 Ridgewood Avenue, Glen Ridge, New Jersey.

(239) Jane Brevoort Walden was born at Brevoort Lane, Mamaroneck, New York, 8 October 1901.

(240) Anne Townsend Walden was born at Brevoort Lane, Mamaroneck, New York, 8 July 1903.



(241) Caroline Walden was born at Brevoort Lane, Mamaroneck, New York, 8 May 1906.

(242) Rosamund Prescott Walden was born at Brevoort Farm, Mamaroneck, New York, 15 March 1908.

(243) Howard Talbot Walden was born 24 May 1908, and lived, in 1935, at Rye, New York.

(244) John Kenneth Mickelsen, was born at **Ellicottville**, New York 27 January 1925.

(245) Alice Mickelsen was born at Lackawanna, New York, 10 May 1929.

(246) Joan Burke Donnelly was born at Detroit, Michigan, 25 September 1928.

(247) Thomas Wallace Donnelly was born at Birmingham, Michigan, 23 December 1932.

(248) Marion Edith Donnelly was born at Junius, New York, 11 January 1928.

(249) Robert Kenneth Donnelly was born at Waterloo, New York, 28 March 1930.

(250) Raymond William Donnelly was born at Waterloo, New York, 28 March 1930.

(251) Raymond Walter Waggoner, Jr., was born at Ann Arbor, Michigan, 12 July 1934.

(252) Karen Waggoner was born at Ann Arbor, Michigan, 6 June 1938.

(253) Thomas Leighton Donnelly, Jr., was born at Marathon, New York, 17 November 1935.

(254) Virginia Ruth Donnelly was born at Marathon, New York, 30 January 1938.

**(254.3) Margaret Isabelle Weimer married Frederick J. Schmitt May 6, 1934.**

**(271.1) Emilie Jane born May 23, 1936.**

(255) Betty Donnelly.

(256) Ann Isabel Conner was born at Phelps, New York, 16 April 1937.

(257) Henry Du Barry Knower. **He did not survive his father who died 10 January 1940.**

(258) Virginia Knower married Dr. John E. Elandorf. **She married William Adam Moore, and lived in 1940 at Bronxville, New York.**



(259) Cornelia Groot Murray was born at Riverton, New Jersey, 5 August 1912. **(Graduated Emma Willard School, Troy, 1930; Mount Holyoke 1930-1933; Columbia University School of Business, Member of Riverton Park Club; Board of Riverton and Cinnamission Welfare Association; Board of Managers, Cinnamission Home; Chairman Burlington County Committee Patriot War Relieve Society, Inc.; Member Ladies Committee of British Merchant Navy Committee for the Port of Philadelphia. British Merchant Navy Club of Philadelphia.**

(260) Benjamin Franklin Knower Groot was born 2 July 1899. **(R.O.T.C. Yale University February 1917, 15 April 1918, Enlisted Canadian Army 12 August 1918. Overseas for training; discharged 24 December 1918. Hale College 1920. She-Wellesley College 1918.)** He married, 10 September 1921, Mildred Prince, daughter of Arthur M. and Marion Keene Little, and had issue:

- (272) Marion Prince, born 24 December 1923.
- (273) Barbara Mitchell, born 28 March 1925.

(261) David Doan Gregory.

(262) Elizabeth Gregory married Abbott Livingston Johnson. He was born at Muncie, Indiana, in 1899. Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1923; F. & A.M.; Vice-President, General Manager and Director of Warren Machine Products, Inc., of Muncie, Indiana; Vice-President and Director, Glascock Brothers Manufacturing Company. He lives at 80 Warwick Road, Muncie.

(263) Carol Gregory.

(264) Suzanne Gregory was born at Syracuse, New York, 10 January 1916.

(265) Anne Hetherington Gregory was born at Syracuse, New York, 31 July 1917.

(266) Jean Hale Gregory was born at Syracuse, New York, 24 December 1919.

(267) George Groot Gregory was born at Syracuse, New York, 14 August 1923.

(268) David Hale Gregory was born at Syracuse, New York, 15 August 1927.

(269) Alfred Seymour Krake was born at Utica, New York, 29 January 1915. Student Clarkston Institute of Technology, 1935.

(270) Leland W. Krake, Jr. was born at Delmar, New York, 30 July 1919.

**(270.5) Jane W. Lay was born at Albany, New York 4 April 1915.**

(271) John James Stephens, III., was born at Brooklyn, New York, 16 May 1932, and lives at 97 Clinton Avenue, Mineola, New York.



(272) Marion Prince Groot was born 24 December 1923.

(273) Barbara Mitchell Groot was born 28 March 1925.

For assistance in the preparation of a Donnelly Genealogy, thanks are due Anne Brevoort Eddy Walden, for transcriptions of family papers in her possession, Marion Edith Donnelly Waggoner, for furnishing a draft of Maud Donnelly Mickelsen's family history, and Robert John Conner, Georgianna Groot Murray, and others of the family for supplementary information which would not otherwise have been made available.

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## Bibliography

The introductory material regarding Peter Donnelly is taken chiefly from accounts by James Magragh Donnelly, in a letter dated 10 September 1877, to Abner Doubleday, Miss Mary E. Donnelly, and Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. Alexander Graham Donnelly said that Peter was a graduate of the University of Dublin and a teacher in the Dublin schools. (**\*Search of Trinity College record made at the instructions of Mrs. Murray coming a period of fifty years during which he should or might have been there.**)

(1) His marriage (**Taylor pp.226-7**) is given by New York Marriages before 1794, p. 114, as being in Marriage Bonds, State of New York, vol. 7, p. 370. The original record was damaged in the Albany statehouse fire and shows Elenor merely as "spinster". (**Mrs. Murray cites family Bible records provided by Mr. C.W. Baker as showing her birth 3 June 1747.**) Ruttenber: History of Newburgh. Orange County Surrogate Clerk's Records, at Goshen, New York. 1790 Federal Census, New York, p. 182. Manuscript History by Maud Donnelly Mickelsen. Calendar of New York Historical Manuscripts, vol. 1, p. 19. The Genealogical Record of the St. Nicholas Society, 1905, 9, 51, 55, and 237, says he was born in 1724. Alexander Graham Donnelly said that he was imprisoned on a British prison ship in New York harbor during the Revolution. Mrs. Georgianna Groot Murray has the deed of the property he bought in Newburgh in 1774. the family Bible of Peter and Elenor Magragh Donnelly was in the possession of Charles Baker of Newark, New Jersey, a descendant. Mrs. Murray says that "my great-aunt, Louise Knower Lawrence...always said that Peter served in the Revolution". Miss Mary E. Donnelly said that "after settling in Newburgh he served as a minute-man throughout the war, but was in no actual engagement except when Fort Montgomery was taken". Annals of Albany, vol. 3, p. 58, shows John Donnelly as a brother of Peter, Jr. Records of the Orange County Surrogate give Jane as a daughter of Elenor Donnelly, but she may have been, instead, the daughter-in-law, Jane, wife of Andrew Donnelly. The gravestone inscriptions in St. George's Cemetery show the year in which James Donnelly was born.

(2) Federal Census of 1790, New York, p. 199. (**Taylor, pp. 226-7**) Veterans Administration, Pension Claim S.23201. Manuscript History of Maud Donnelly Mickelsen. (**Mrs. Murray cites family Bible records provided by Mr. C.W. Baker as to his birth; she cites also his will, of which she has a copy.**) The Genealogical Record of the St. Nicholas Society, 1905, p. 51, says he was born in 176. Abner Doubleday's notes say he was born 4 June 1763. Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray says he was born 24 May 1764. The New York Biographical and Genealogical Record, vol. 7, p. 136, transcribing the records of the First Presbyterian Church of New York, says, according to the "Record of April 17, 1768", she was born 14 March 1768. The Genealogical Record of the St. Nicholas Society, ob. Cit., says she was born 1767. James Magragh Donnelly says she died 7 July 1830, and he 22 February 1835. Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray says she was born in 1767. Of his military service Miss Mary E. Donnelly wrote that he carried dispatches between General Washington and Heath. Alexander Graham Donnelly said that during his attachment to the staff headquarters of Washington at Newburgh, he became a close friend of Alexander Hamilton. Thomas Donnelly may have been that Thomas who served as a private in the 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment, Militia of Ulster County, who was



found entitled by his services to land bounty rights. Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray cites the Council of Appointment, Albany County, New York, vol. 1, p. 219, as saying that he served as an ensign, the commission bearing the date of 1792, and according to family tradition he served as a colonel in the War of 1812. He is also said to have been a magistrate at Newburgh. For all the foregoing claims there is no recorded basis in fact which has come to my attention. In support of his pension claim Ulysses Freeman Doubleday, then a member of the House of Representatives stated that he had been intimately acquainted with Thomas Donnelly for about eighteen years, or since 1815. The Orange County Surrogate's clerk, reciting 27 April 1934 the facts regarding his mother's will, says that he was deceased before 1815, meaning rather that he was not, in that year, living in Orange County. Mrs. Murray says that his daughter, Maria, was born in 1793. Veterans Administration, Pension claim S.23201, says 1792. James Magrath Donnelly notes that with his mother he visited his sister, Hester Donnelly Doubleday, at Ballston Spa in June 1819.

(3) Records of the Orange County Surrogate's Office. Annals of Albany, vol. 3, p. 58. Gravestone inscription, old burying-ground, Newburgh. He was probably, the father of Peter who died, 8 October 1826, aged 18 years, 2 months, 11 days, and was buried in the family plot, in the middle south section of the old burying-ground at Newburgh. (**Mrs. Murray cites family Bible records provided by Mr. C.W. Baker as to his birth.**)

(4) Federal Census of 1790, New York, p. 199. Maude's Travels, vol. 14, p. 268, are cited by the Annals of Albany, vol. 3, p. 58. Cf. also Annals of Albany, vol. 9. Records of the New Windsor Presbyterian Church. Orange County Surrogate's Office says he was deceased in 1819 meaning thereby, apparently, that he was not then living in Orange County. Mrs. Murray cites James L. Roberts' New York in the Revolution, p. 264, as showing a Peter Donnelly who may have been this Peter, serving as a member of Captain Uriah Drake's Company, 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Militia. He may have been the father of the Peter Donnelly born 27 July 1808, who died 8 October 1826, aged 18 years, 2 months, 11 days, and was buried in the middle south section of the old burying-ground at Newburgh. (**Mrs. Murray cites family Bible records provided by Mr. C. W. Baker as to his birth.**)

(5) Annals of Albany, vol. 3, p. 58. (**He is not show by family Bible records.**)

(6) The Records of the Orange County Surrogate's office show her as a daughter of Eleanor Donnelly, (**Donator's Note: The following sentence is crossed off "but she may have been instead, Eleanor's daughter-in-law, wife of Andrew Donnelly (3)"**) Manuscript History of Maud Donnelly Mickelsen. (**Mrs. Murray cites family Bible records provided by Mr. C.W. Baker as to her birth. Her will is on file in Orange County Surrogate's office, Wills R,p. 403, letters testamentary, vol. C., p. 61.**)

(7) Gravestone inscription, old burying-ground, and St. George's Cemetery, Newburgh, New York. Orange County Surrogate's office records. Ruttenber: History of Orange County. Manuscript History of Maud Donnelly Mickelsen. (**His will is recorded in the Orange County Surrogate's office, vol. 28, p. 327; letter testamentary, vol. F, p. 51.**)



**Mrs. Murray cites family Bible records provided by Mr. C. W. Baker as to his birth.)**

(8) Orange County Surrogate's office records. **(Mrs. Murray cites family Bible records provided by Mr. C. W. Baker as to his birth.)**

(9) Orange County Surrogate's office records. Mrs. Murray. The former says that he was deceased in 1819, meaning apparently, that he was not then living in Orange County. James Magragh Donnelly, writing to his nephew, Abner Doubleday, 16 October 1877, Concerning the expedition to Sackett's Harbor, said : "Colonel John Mills, an acquaintance of our family, was killed there". **(He is not show by family Bible records.)**

(10) Annals of Albany, vol. 9 Veterans Administration, Pension Claim S.23201. Heitman Register of the United States Army, vol. 1, p. 378. Abner Doubleday's notes say he died at Albany, 20 years, 5 months, 11 days old. **(His elegy, by his brother, appears in the scrap-book of James Magragh Donnelly.)**

(11) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Genealogical Record of the St. Nicholas Society, 1905, pp. 51, 55. Mrs. Murray. Manuscript History of Maud Donnelly Mickelsen. The records of the Orange County Surrogate's office give his name as Ullison or Addison Doubleday. The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #2683. He lived, 7 April 1865, at Bloomington, Illinois, where he addressed the letters cited above to his son Abner. These letters dated 7 April 1865, and 15 April 1865, together with the letter of 10 September 1877 from James Magragh Donnelly, to Abner Doubleday, are in the possession of Anne Brevoort Eddy Walden, of Mamaroneck, New York. Writing her brother, Abner Doubleday 13 March 1865, Amanda Doubleday says: "One day someone spoke of a wife bearing adversity well and Father said "The second year of my married life I was somewhat embarrassed and went home perplexed and troubled. Your mother met me with a kiss and asked me what ailed me. When I told her she laid her head on my shoulder and told me not to mind, all would be well; we were young and loved each other and could work". Then he burst into tears." She was spoken of in the family as "Aunt Polly". **(Maud Donnelly Mickelsen cites Hoke's History of Cayuga County.)**

(12) Veterans' Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Records of Orange County Surrogate's Office. Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.

(13) Fry, Albany Directory of 1813. Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Mrs. Murray says she was born in 1793, and married in 1814. Abner Doubleday notes show both Louise (52) and Sarah (53) born a year earlier. **(Her elegy, by her brother, is in the scrap-book of James Magragh Donnelly.)**

(14) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Notes of Abner Doubleday.

(15) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S. 23201. Notes of Abner Doubleday.

(16) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201.



(17) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Notes of Abner Doubleday.

(18) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Annals of Albany, vol. 9, p. 344. Mrs. Murray says that she was born in 1800, and suggests that he was a descendant of John Stevens of Salisbury, Massachusetts, or of John Stevens, of Amesbury, Massachusetts. Notes of Abner Doubleday. Boston Evening Transcript, 3 March 1937, Query #3664. **(Her elegy, written by her brother, is in the scrap-book of James Magragh Donnelly.)**

(19) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201 shows also a James M. Donnelly called son of Thomas Donnelly (12) living in Hector, New York, in 1851. This is without question James M. Donnelly (19). Manuscript History of Maud Donnelly Mickelsen. Writing to his nephew Abner Doubleday, from Allen, Michigan, 10 September 1877, James Magragh Donnelly said: "My father and .. my mother, had ten children, of whom I am the only survivor. I stand at the declivity of life, the last of this numerous off-spring, but I hope to meet them in a fairer and more congenial clime". Ulysses Freeman Doubleday, writing to his son, Abner, 7 April 1865, mentions the Pettinger money inherited by James Magragh Donnelly's mother and says: "The amount was left mostly to the youngest son, James Donnelly, who is partially blind and who is now residing in Seneca County, New York."

(20) Gravestone inscriptions old burying-ground, Newburgh.

(21) Orange County Surrogate's Office.

(22) Gravestone inscription, old burying-ground, Newburgh, New York.

(23) Gravestone inscription, old burying-ground, Newburgh, New York.

(24) Gravestone inscription, St. George's Cemetery, Newburgh, New York. Miss Estabrook of Newburgh Public Library staff. Mary E. Donnelly lived for many years with Ratie Coe (Mrs. Arnott) who lived in 1935 between Montgomery and Walden, at an address known by Mrs. Hammer, of 42 Farrington Street, Newburgh. **(Orange County Surrogate Office Wills, vol. 28, p. 329; letters of admin., vol. 30, p. 15; inventory 15 October 1911; December. vol. 38, p. 215.)**

(25) Gravestone inscription, St. George's Cemetery. **(Orange County Surrogate's Office, Wills, vol. 28 p. 327. Guardianship, vol. F., p. 168.**

**(25.1) Will of Jane Donnelly; Orange County Surrogate Wills vol. 28, p. 327.**

(26) Mrs. Charles W. Baker. Orange County Surrogate's office. Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. **(Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey Cemetery Record.)**

(27) Orange County Surrogate's office.



(28) Orange County Surrogate's office.

(29) Orange County Surrogate's office.

(30) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(31) Veterans' Administration, Pension Claim S. 23201. Genealogical Record of the St. Nicholas Society, 1905, p. 51. Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. Dictionary of American Biography. Heitman, Register of the United States Army. His marriage is recorded in the New York Weekly Tribune, of 25 December 1841, cited by R.E.D., Boston Evening Transcript, Note#2691, part XI, 17 May 1835.

(32) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(33) Dictionary of American Biography. Heitman, Register of the United States Army. Monuments Commission for the Battlefields of Gettysburg: In Memoriam Abner Doubleday and John Cleveland Robinson.

(34) Genealogical Record of the St. Nicholas Society, 1905, p. 55. Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #1206, #2683. Millicent Higgins died in 1857, in Marion, New York. Seth Eddy was born in 1780, and his son, David, was appointed administrator on his estate, 13 September 1864. He owned land at Williamson, New York, which he sold at various times. His wife, Millicent, signed several deeds. (Wayne County Deeds, 55 – 415, etc.) He had besides Herman James Samuel, born 10 August 1806; Allen Higgins, born 28 August 1808. Herman James Eddy had by his first wife, Abigail Bull, Jerome H., born at Jordan, New York, 27 March 1834; Alden Seth, born at Jordan, 12 September 1837; Herman James, born at Scipio, 27 1840. (**Woodlawn Cemetery records. Jerome H. Eddy is buried in SW ¼ 5925 Sect.66 Poplar Plot Woodlawn Cemetery, New York. He died, aged 83, 7 June 1918 and his late residence was 368 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Brooklyn, New York.**)

(35) Heitman Register of the United States Army, vol. 1, p. 380; Genealogical Record of the St. Nicholas Society, 1905, p. 51, shows that he was elected a member of that society, 1 March 1875. Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. Dictionary of American Biography. **Woodlawn Cemetery Records.**

(36) Letter of Ulysses Freeman Doubleday to his son, Abner Doubleday, 15 April 1865.

(37) Letter of Ulysses Freeman Doubleday to his son, Abner Doubleday, 15 April 1865.

(38) Letter of Ulysses Freeman Doubleday to his son, Abner Doubleday, 15 April 1865.

(39) Letter of Ulysses Freeman Doubleday to his son, Abner Doubleday, 15 April 1865.

(40) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner, Robert J. Conner.



(41) Veterans Administration, Pension Claim S.23201. Robert J. Conner. Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.

(42) Veterans Administration, Pension Claim S.23201. Robert J. Conner. Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.

(43) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. Robert J. Conner. Maude Donnelly Mickelsen.

(44) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. Robert J. Conner. Maude Donnelly Mickelsen.

(45) Robert J. Conner. Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.

(46) Robert J. Conner. Maude Donnelly Mickelsen.

(47) Robert J. Conner. Maude Donnelly Mickelsen.

(48) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Georgiana Groot Murray. **(An elegy, composed by her mother, is in the scrap-book of James Magrath Donnelly.)**

(49) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Georgiana Groot Murray says he married 3 November 1833.

(50) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201 gives his name as "Buckwheat". Mrs. Murray says his name was John Buckhout and that he was brother of Laura Hyatt Buckhout (49).

(51) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(52) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(53) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Virkus, Compendium of American Genealogy, vol. 4, p. 407. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(54) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(55) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(56) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(57) Georgiana Groot Murray. Munsell Genealogy, #1084.

(58) Georgiana Groot Murray.



(59) Veterans Administration Pension Claim S.23201 Boston Evening Transcript, 3 March 1937, Query #3664. Abner Doubleday's notes say he was born at Albany, New York, 6 November 1818.

(60) Abner Doubleday's notes. Boston Evening Transcript, 3 March 1937. Query #3664.

(61) Abner Doubleday's notes. Boston Transcript, 3 March 1937, Query #3664. He was son of Ebenezer Taylor, of Rye, New Hampshire. ( **By his first wife he had 1. Joseph Edwin, born at Boston 20 June 1839; m. Sarah Robb. 2. James Williams born in 1811 at Boston, died in infancy. 3. Benjamin Randall, born at Albany 11 August 1844, married Laura Robb. Joseph 5, John 4, Richard 3, John 2, Anthony 1 Taylor. He married first at Haverhill 1 January 1837, Sarah, daughter of Stephen and Mary Kimball Hazeltine, who, was born at Hampstead, New Hampshire, 20 April 1806, and died at Albany 11 August 1844 and was buried in the Albany Rural Cemetery.)**

(62) Abner Doubleday's notes. Boston Evening Transcript, 3 March 1937, Query #3664. **(Donator's Note: The following sentence is crossed off "Mrs. Murray suggests that he was son of Peter Donnelly Stevens. The dates indicate that they were brothers.") Taylor p.159.**

(63) Alexander Graham Donnelly called this child a daughter, Ruth, who died as an infant.

(64) Veterans Administration, Pension Claim S.C. 1062231 quotes his pension application as saying he was born in Syracuse.

(65) His will is recorded in Liber 30, p. 85, and letters testamentary to his daughters are recorded in Liber 187, p. 123, Kings County (New York) Surrogate's Office. Records of State of New York, the Adjutant General's Office, Bureau of War Records. Patent and Traded Mark Review, June 1923.

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(67) Richard A. Donnelly, Jr., 1935.

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(68) Mrs. Charles Ward Baker. **Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark Records.**

(69) Mrs. Charles Ward Baker. **Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark Records.**

(70) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.



(71) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. Yearbook of the St. Nicholas Society, 1905, p. 51.

(72) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(73) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(74) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

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(76) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(77) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray; The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #5182. Mrs. Anne Brevoort Eddy Walden says that she lived in the Brevoort Mansion in New York until 1854 when her father, Henry Brevoort, moved to Mamaroneck. **Woodlawn Cemetery records.**

(78) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. The Eddy Family in America, 1830, #7559.

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(80) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #2683.

(81) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #2683.

(82) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

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(83) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(84) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. Who's Who in America, 1924, p. 882, shows her books: Little Stories of Married Life, 1902; Hearts of Lynn, 1904; Little Stories of Courtship, 1905; More Stories of Married Life, 1906; The Suburban Whirl, 1907; The Wayfarers, 1908; Just for Two, 1912; The Unforeseen, 1910; Lovers of Sanna, 1912; Refractory Husbands, 1913; The Blossoming Rod, 1914; Some of Us Are Married, 1920. **(Woodlawn Cemetery)**

(85) Robert J. Conner; Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.

(86) Robert J. Conner; Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.

(87) Robert J. Conner; **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(88) Robert J. Conner; Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner.



(89) Robert J. Conner; Fred A. Wolfe; Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner; **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(90) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner; Fred A. Wolfe.

(91) Robert J. Conner; Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(92) Robert J. Conner; Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(93) Robert J. Conner; **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(94) Robert J. Conner; **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(95) Robert J. Conner; **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

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(97) Robert J. Conner; **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(98) Robert J. Conner; **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(99) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(100) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. (**New York Times 13-1-1940** Mrs. Murray cites the letter in question.)

(101) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. **Cites the letter in question.**

(102) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(103) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(104) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

**(104.5) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.**

(105) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(106) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. **Cites letter from Laura Knower to her aunt Louise Knower Lawrence.**

(107) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(108) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. Virkus, Compendium of American Genealogy, vol. 4, p. 407.



(109) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

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(120) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(121) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray; Munsell Genealogy, #1084.

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(123) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

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(125) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

**(125.1) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.**

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(126.1) Taylor, pp. 226-7.

(126.2) Taylor, pp. 226-7.

(127) Taylor, pp. 226-7.

(128) Taylor, pp. 226-7, 315-6; Mrs. Murray.



(129) Taylor, pp. 226-7.

(129.1) Taylor, pp. 227, 316-7.

(130) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. **Taylor, p. 159.**

(131) Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray. **Taylor, pp. 226-7.**

(132) Veterans Administration of Alexander Graham Donnelly, S. C. 1-62231.

(133) Who's Who in America.

(139) Richard A. Donnelly, Jr., 1935.

(140) Richard A. Donnelly, Jr., 1935.

(141) Buffalo Directory, 1931; Richard A. Donnelly, Jr., 1935.

(142) Richard A. Donnelly Jr., 1935.

(143) Mrs. Charles Ward Baker. **Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark Records.**

(144) Mrs. Charles Ward Baker. **Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark Records.**

(145) Mrs. Charles Ward Baker; Mrs. Georgiana Groot Murray.

(146) Mrs. Charles Ward Baker. **Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark Records.**

(147) Mrs. Charles Ward Baker.

(148) Georgiana Groot Murray. Mrs. Charles Ward Baker. He was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution.

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(150) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #7554. Georgiana Groot Murray. New York Times, 30 July 1935. **Woodlawn Cemetery Records.**

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(152) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #7566; Georgiana Groot Murray; New York Times, 30 July 1935.

(153) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #5182. **Woodlawn Cemetery Records.**

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(167) Robert J. Conner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(168) Robert J. Conner. **She was sister of Margaret Smith who married William Pease; Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(169) Robert J. Conner.

(170) Robert J. Conner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(171) Robert J. Conner. **She was sister of Annie Smith who married Robert John Pease. Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(172) Robert J. Conner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(173) Robert J. Conner.

(174) Robert J. Conner.



(175) Robert J. Conner.

(176) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(177) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(178) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(179) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

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(181) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(182) Robert J. Conner. Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(183) Robert J. Conner. Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(184) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. Poor's Directory of Directors and Executives, 1939.

(185) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner.

(186) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner.

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(188) Robert J. Conner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

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(195) Robert J. Conner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(196) Robert J. Conner.



(197) Georgiana Groot Murray. **New York Times**, 13 January 1940.

(198) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(199) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(200) Georgiana Groot Murray.

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(202) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(203) Georgiana Groot Murray. He was the son of George Henry and Olive L. Purinton Murray, of Viola, Delaware.

(204) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(205) Georgiana Groot Murray.

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(207) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(208) Georgiana Groot Murray. Munsell Genealogy, #1084.

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(218) Taylor, p. 316.

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(219.2) Taylor, p. 316.

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(223) Richard A. Donnelly, Jr.

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(237) Richard A. Donnelly, Jr.

(238) Mrs. Charles Ward Baker.

(239) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #7555.

(240) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #7555.

(241) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #7555.

(242) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #7555.

(243) The Eddy Family in America, 1930, #7555; New York Times, 30 July 1935.



(243.1-243.74) **Maude Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(244) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner. **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(245) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner.

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(253) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner.

(254) Marion E. Donnelly Waggoner.

(254.1-254.85) **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(255) Robert J. Conner.

(256) Robert J. Conner.

(257) Georgiana Groot Murray. **New York Times, 13 January 1940.**

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(259) Georgiana Groot Murray.

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(261) Georgiana Groot Murray.

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(263) Georgiana Groot Murray.



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(269) **Taylor, p. 316.**

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(270.5) **Taylor p. 317.**

(271.1) **Maud Donnelly Mickelsen.**

(272) Georgiana Groot Murray.

(273) Georgiana Groot Murray.



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## Donator's Updates

This information updates the people who are numbered in John Stephens book "The Donnelly Family". Some of the information listed about these people in his book is not accurate. I am including what comes from my family and the sources I found the information in. (226) Mary Donnelly is my mother. The information pertains to her, her brothers and sisters, cousins, aunts and uncles.

(67) Richard A. Donnelly was actually born 30 July 1848 in Bennetsburg, New York. He was married to Mariah Kealy who was born 4 April 1854 in Hamilton, Ohio. She was the daughter of Eugene (Owen) and Mary Kealy. They immigrated to the United States around 1852. He died 10 December 1933 and she died 18 November 1936. I don't know their marriage date. They lived in Allen, Hillsdale County, Michigan, where he was a farmer. His father and mother lived with him until their deaths. He is buried in Allen Cemetery next to his parents, although his headstone is missing. She is buried in St. Anthony's Cemetery in Hillsdale. His wife lived, in 1935, with her daughter. She was Catholic and he was not. Catholics had to be buried in a Catholic Cemetery at that time (at least in Hillsdale County). (Sources of this information are both of their death certificates, family lore, the book Hillsdale County Burials, Mass cards and trips to the cemeteries). He had issue:

(138.1) James b 1883 d 30 September 1884 of cholera (source Michigan Death Index online)

(138.2) Eugene b 1883 d 1889 They were twins.

(139) Peter b 10 October 1889 d 7 May 1978.

(140) Paul b 10 October 1889 d 16 May 1956 (they were fraternal twins).

(141) Richard A. b 10 March 1896 d 16 June 1951.

(142) Emily (Emma) Graham b 12 October 1887 d 5 April 1962 (she should be before 139.

(139) Peter Donnelly was born 10 October 1889 and married 9 February 1918, Florence Veronica Stitt, who was born 24 February 1889. Their farm was in (not near) the town of Allen. He died 7 May 1978 at a hospital in the Detroit area. She died 13 November 1980 in Southfield, Michigan. They are both buried in Allen Cemetery. Peter Donnelly was glad that the rule about Catholics having to be buried in a Catholic Cemetery changed as he thought St. Anthony's Cemetery was too close to water. He was a farmer, she was a teacher.

(223) Richard Joseph born 18 January 1919, died 3 October 1969.

(224) Charles Robert born 4 April 1921, died 10 November 2001.

(225) William Joseph born 1 November 1924, died 9 February 1998.

(226) Mary Louise born 5 June 1926.

(227) Helen Marie born 24 December 1927.

(228) Irene Loretta born 26 March 1929.



(140) Paul (Podie) Donnelly is a farmer, and lived, in 1939, on his father's homestead, at Allen, Michigan. He was born 10 October 1889, the younger of fraternal twins, and married Loretta Rose Stitt, sister to Florence Stitt, 9 February 1920. She was born 11 March 1892. He died May 16, 1954 and she died August 16, 1971. She died in Indianapolis, IN of pneumonia. At the time she was serving a term as president of Mothers of World War II Veterans. He died in Allen. They are buried in St. Anthony's Cemetery. (Sources include Hillsdale County Burials, obituaries, Mass cards and trips to St. Anthony's Cemetery.) He had issue:

- (232) John Leo was born 20 December 1922.
- (233) Elizabeth Anne was born 30 October 1925.
- (234) Edward Vincent was born 19 December 1932, died 25 December 1992.

(141) Richard A. Donnelly was born 10 March 1896. He married Genevieve Stitt, born 12 March 1900. She was a younger sister of Florence and Loretta (three brothers married three sisters). He died 16 June 1951 and she died 20 April 1987. They lived, in 1935, at 275 Bird Avenue, Buffalo, New York. They married in 1924. He had issue:

- (234) Thomas born 24 October 1926, died 5 June 1989.
- (235) Theodore (Ted) born 9 February 1930.

(142) Emily (Emma) Graham Donnelly was born 12 October 1887 and married Andrew Keating, a farmer, who was born in 1875. She died 5 April 1962 and he died 26 December 1957. According to her daughter Ruth and her granddaughter Dawn Kunkler, her legal name was Emma. She did go by Emily and to her nieces and nephews she was Auntie. She lived, in 1935 in Allen, Michigan, down the street from her brother Peter. They had issue:

She should come before 139.

- (234) Helen b 8 October 1909, died 5 November 1995.
- (235) Donald (Red) b 27 November 1912, died 29 December 1982.
- (236) Ruth born 24 December 1919.
- (237) Florence (Flossie) born 21 January 1922, died 19 February 2001 in Tucson.

(220) John James Stephens, II., was born at Brooklyn, New York, 7 November 1901. A.B. (Cornell University, 1922). He married, at Mineola, New York, 18 July 1928, Viola, daughter of William and Mary Underhill McCarthy, who was born in Mineola, 5 December 1898; A.B. (Wellesley College, 1919). They live at 97 Clinton, Avenue, Mineola, and had issue:

(This is the author of this book. I believe the majority of the handwritten material added afterwards, that is, all the information in bold, was also written by him. In researching him I discovered the following information: he died November 1965, 11501 Mineola, Nassau County, New York. Viola died February 1984 11530 Garden City, Nassau County, New York. Her birth is given as 5 December 1897. This comes from the Social



Security Index. His son died 19 October 2001 in Naples, Collier, Florida. This also is from the Social Security Index.)

(223) Richard Joseph Donnelly was born 18 January 1919 in Allen Michigan and died in a plane crash in Wyoming on 3 October 1969. He was married to Helen Bess Artley, born 25 November 1921 and died 26 November 2002. They married 7 December 1944. They are buried in Minnesota where they lived. He was the athletic director at the University of Minnesota. They had issue.

(224) Charles Robert Donnelly was born 4 April 1921 in Allen Michigan and died as the result of an automobile accident in Flint on 10 November 2001. He was married to Marilyn Jones 15 September 1946. She was born 9 March 1926 and died 22 January 2002. They are buried in Hale, Michigan. He was the president of Alpena Community College before he retired. They were the godparents of the donator of this material. They had issue.

(225) William Joseph Donnelly was born 1 November 1924 and died 9 February 1998. He married Georganna Tuck on 18 April 1949. She was born 22 February 1921 and died 10 October 2000. They donated their bodies to Wayne State University's Medical School. Their children took their ashes to Allen. He was a pediatrician in Pontiac, Michigan. They had issue.

(226) Mary Louise Donnelly was born 5 June 1926 and married George Augustine Birkam, born 23 October, 1923, on 28 April 1951. She is a retired librarian and he is a retired elementary school principal. They live in East Tawas, Michigan. They have issue.

(227) Helen Marie Donnelly was born 24 December 1927 and married Ralph Harig, born 23 September 1926, on 17 November 1956. She is a retired teacher and he is a retired custodian. They live in Barefoot Bay, Florida. They have issue.

(228) Irene (Renie) Loretta Donnelly was born 26 March 1929 and married Bert Webster, born 13 October, 1924, on 22 August 1999. She is a retired teacher and he is retired from working at an architectural firm. They live in Barefoot Bay, Florida. No children.

(229) John Leon Donnelly was born 20 December 1922 and married Prudence Jane Bratt, born 1 March 1925. She died 11 April, 2000. He is a retired teacher. He served in Europe during World War II. He lives in Palmetto, Florida. They have issue.

(230) Elizabeth Anne Donnelly was born 30 October 1925 and married Timothy Raymond McMahon. He was born 21 July 1916 and died 23 November, 1989. She lives in Oak Park, Michigan. They have issue.

(231) Edward Vincent Donnelly was born 19 December 1932 and died 25 December 1992. He married Jean Riese Valla who was born 5 October 1939. He played professional baseball for a short while. She lives in Texas. They have issue.



(232) Thomas Donnelly was born 24 October 1926 and died 5 June 1989. He married Ellen S. Schulz who was born 26 February 1927. She lives in Bradenton, Florida. They have issue.

(233) Theodore (Ted) Donnelly was born 9 February 1930 and lives in Buffalo, New York. He worked in a shoe store. He never married. No children.

(234) Helen Keating was born 8 October 1909 and died 5 November 1995. She married Charles Kunkler who was born 1 November 1901 and died 8 April 1984. She taught school in Allen, Michigan before she married. They had issue.

(235) Donald (Red) Keating was born 27 November 1912 and died 29 December 1982. He married Jayne Pomeroy who was born 17 October 1914 and died 4 December 2000. They had issue.

(236) Ruth Keating was born 24 December 1919 and married Phil Abbey who was born 3 August 1916 and died 14 March 1966. She lives in Battle Creek, Michigan. They had issue.

(237) Florence (Flossie) Keating was born 21 January 1922 and died 10 February 2001. She married Philip Baechler who was born 25 August 1919 and died December 1978. He was a career army officer. They had issue.









